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Cultural Awareness Unit bridges the culture gap for Basic Combat Training Soldiers.

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Houses start coming down in summer

Chris Rasmussen
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The privatization of Fort Jackson family housing will begin early this summer with the demolition and rebuilding of homes in the Pierce Terrace 2 and 6 neighborhoods.

Crews will begin demolishing 138 housing units in early July and rebuilding 106 homes as the first phase of the Residential Community Initiative, according to Wayne Shealy, Fort Jackson's RCI engineer. There will also be new construction of homes during this time in Pierce Terrace 7.

"Pierce Terrace 6 will all be demolished and rebuilt and we hope to have the first home rebuilt about 12 months after demolition begins," he said. "We plan to keep inconveniences to a minimum for surrounding neighbors."

The Army announced in May the selection of GMH/Centex Military Communities to prepare a Community Development and Management Plan as part of the initiative to privatize family housing at Fort Jackson. GMH will be responsible for development, construction,

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'Kill, kill, kill'



Photo by Chris Rasmussen

Pvt. Keith Hannum, Company B, 1st Battalion, 13th Infantry Regiment, attacks the "enemy" Wednesday morning on the practice range at the Bayonet Assault Course. Each week, up to 1,200 Basic Combat Training Soldiers go through the course.

Army values mirror justice, fairness, peace of King's dream



Photo by Mike A. Glasch

Dr. David Swinton, Benedict College president, speaks to the audience about Martin Luther King Jr.'s dream during a luncheon honoring King Jan. 23 at the NCO Club.

Mike A. Glasch
Leader Staff

Nearly 600 people filled the NCO Club Jan. 23 to celebrate the life and accomplishments of Martin Luther King Jr. The president of Benedict College, Dr. David Swinton, served as the guest speaker at the luncheon hosted by the 193rd Infantry Brigade to honor the slain civil rights leader.

"I think sometimes we may not fully appreciate the importance of what he tried to do," Swinton told the crowd. "He was convinced that what he was attempting to accomplish for African-Americans was absolutely essential for the prosperity of this country and the prosperity of the world."

Swinton said the peace, justice and fairness that King preached was a radical thought at that time.

"We had traditionally operated in the mindset of getting whatever I can by any means possible, if that meant stomping on you then I would stomp on you," he said.

Swinton added that by reading between the lines of what

King said, he was talking about the power of love, compassion and charity — values Swinton said are in line with the Army values.

"If the Soldier next to you isn't committed to taking care of you like a brother or a sister, then you have problems in the Army," he said. "If a Soldier isn't really committed to being honest and truthful you have problems in the Army."

Fort Jackson's commanding general, Brig. Gen. James H. Schwitters said he was struck between the parallel of the values of King and the values of the Army.

"I'm proud of the Army in taking the lead in recognizing the vision, the courage and the selfless service of Dr. King," Schwitters said.

While a part of King's dream has been reached, Swinton said there is a long way to go. He pointed out that in the African-American community poverty, lack of adequate health care and

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Ask the Garrison Commander

Voting Assistance Program; cost of youth services programs

Q What is the purpose of the Voting Assistance Program and how does the process work?



Col. Dixon

A The Department of the Army Implementing Instructions for the 2008-2009 Voting Assistance Program lists two basic missions associated with the Army Voting Assistance Program.

The first mission, and primary focus of the program, is the traditional voting assistance provided to Soldiers, their family members, and overseas DA civilian employees and their family members. Individual voting assistance consists of unit Voting Assistance Officers providing technical guidance.

The second mission is to educate every Soldier about the importance and value of voting and to notify them of the opportunities they have to participate in the voting franchise, if they so desire. The process consists of:

Unit commanders

— Must appoint a unit voting assistance officer.

— Provide Soldiers who want to vote the maximum opportunity to do so.

— Ensure unit members and their family members have ready access to absentee voter registration, ballot requests and absentee submission information.

Unit voting assistance officers

— Provide Soldiers and their voting-age family members Federal Post Card Applications for registering to vote in the state of their legal voting residence.

— Provide assistance with the state-by-state application instructions contained in the Voting Assistance Guide and the state voting Web site.

— Provide education and assistance on the absentee voting process.

Soldiers and family members

— Mail FPCA to election officials in the county of their legal voting residence.

— Receive absentee ballots in the mail.

— Return completed ballot so that it arrives at the county elections office by the deadline set by the state.

— Submit FPCA whenever there is a

change in address. Some states also accept FPCA via fax or e-mail.

For more information, contact your unit voting assistance officer or visit www.vote.army.mil.

Q I have a child in an after-school program at the Youth Center and another in the middle school after-school program. Why do I have to pay for my second-grader and the program is free for my sixth-grader?

A Fort Jackson fees for Child and Youth Services programs are based on the Department of Defense and Department of the Army fee policy.

For the Child Development Centers and the School Age Services program, these fees are based on total family income with income categories and ranges set by the Department of Defense annually.

The middle school program, however, is provided at no cost in compliance with guidance in the Department of the Army fee policy. Established in 1999, the middle school after-school program provides a safe, secure environment for middle-school youth during what research and crime sta-

tistics have identified as a high-risk time (3-6 p.m.) for youth involvement in at-risk behaviors.

These services were designed to enhance readiness by reducing the conflict between mission and parental responsibilities, to facilitate family well-being and to reinforce Army values.

The Fort Jackson middle school program is located at the "House" on Parker Lane. The hours of operation are 2:30-6:30 p.m., Monday-Friday and no-school days from 8:15 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

The middle school after-school program offers snacks; homework assistance and tutoring; computer technology; leisure and recreation activities; sports and fitness; life skills and leadership activities. The middle school and teen programs also offer 4-H clubs in technology, photography, fine arts and citizenship.

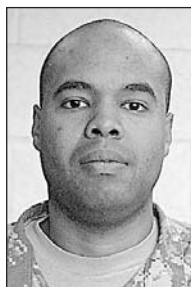
Garrison Fact of the Week

Under the Army Family Covenant, the Child and Youth Services annual registration fee is waived for all eligible users.

To submit questions to "Ask the Garrison Commander," call 751-2842, or e-mail nahrwolds@jackson.army.mil.

Fort Jackson talks back

If a Soldier you don't know is wearing the uniform incorrectly, do you correct him/her? Why?



Sgt. David Powell
1st Battalion,
13th Infantry Regiment

"I do, because it's according to regulations. I'd rather correct the Soldier before someone higher ranking does."



Spc. Alana Abraham
1st Battalion,
13th Infantry Regiment

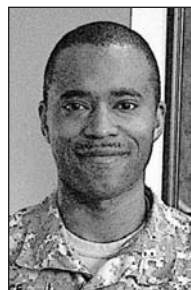
"I don't correct anyone above my rank, but I do correct Soldiers my rank and below."

Pfc. Stephen Pearson
1st Battalion
13th Infantry Regiment



"I correct the Soldier. Any Soldier is representing the military as a whole and if one looks messed up, we all look messed up."

Staff Sgt. Curtis Price
NCO Academy



"Yes. Soldiers represent the U.S. Army, so it's important that they present the proper image."

Staff Sgt. Donna Robinson
NCO Academy student



"Yes. We have to uphold a certain standard when we're wearing the uniform. I would pull the Soldier to the side discretely and make an on-the-spot correction."

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ESL new building ready for Soldiers

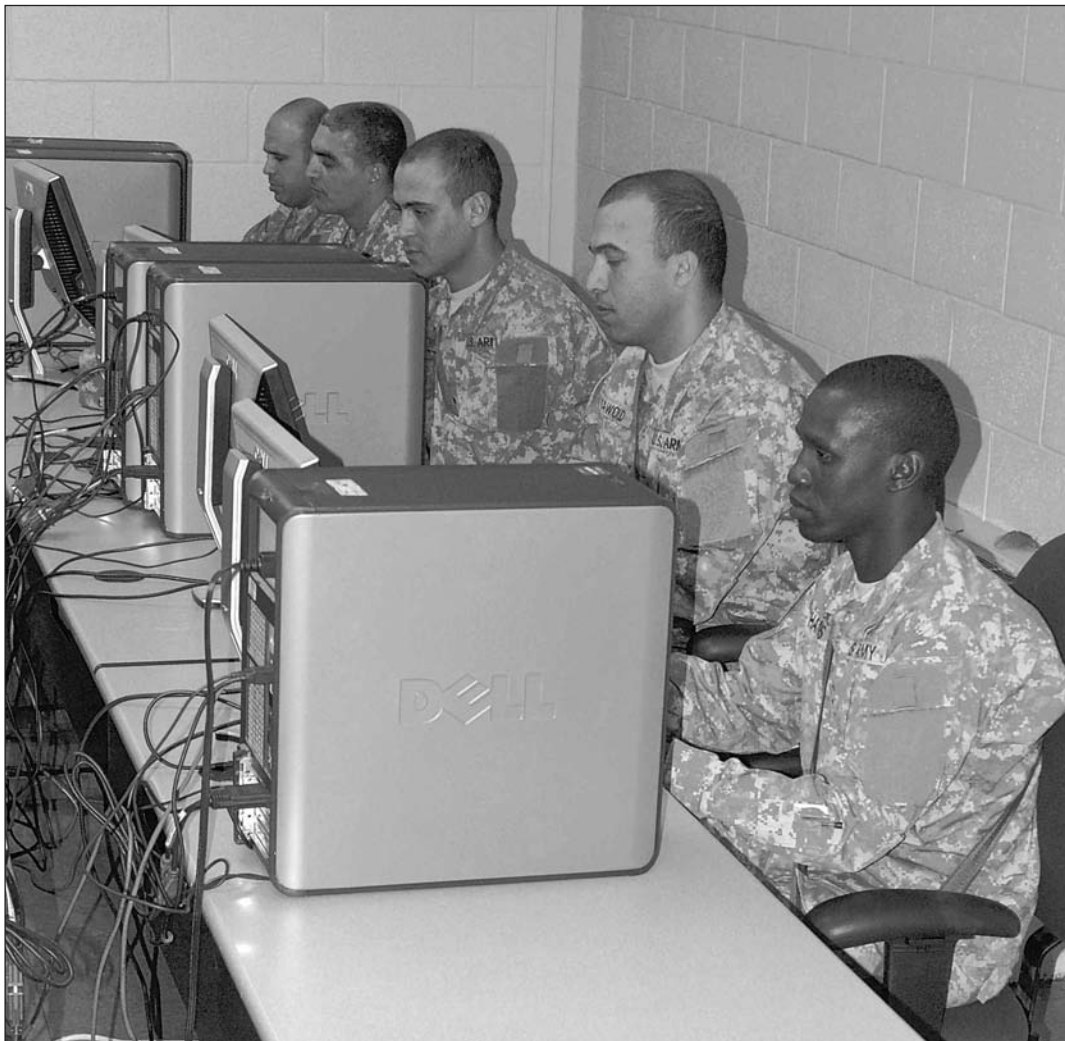


Photo by Mike A. Glasch

Soldiers in the English as a Second Language Program work on their lessons in the computer lab located in their new home. A ribbon-cutting ceremony Monday marked the program moving from control of the 187th Ordinance Battalion to Company D, 120th Adjutant General Battalion (Reception). Col. Robert Choppa, commander, 171st Infantry Brigade, said English as a second language has been a part of the Army longer than most people realize. "It (ESL) didn't start with 9/11. It probably started back in the formative days of our nation," he said. "If you think of when General Lafayette was talking to his Soldiers, there was probably some interpretation required." Soldiers in the ESL program will eventually attend Basic Combat Training and the interpreter/translator course.

Semmes Road still not open to through traffic

Chris Rasmussen
Leader Staff

Bad weather and a broken phone cable are being blamed for delaying the reopening of Semmes Road.

Crews expected to have the section of Semmes Road, between Essayons Way and Pershing Road, opened before Block Leave in December. However, according to Bryan Tempio, area engineer for the Army Corps of Engineers, heavy precipitation put contractors behind schedule.

"The delays were because of the rains," Tempio said. "There is also a broken phone cable (crews) are trying to repair. But they are not sure whether they can reopen the road and repair it or if they have to keep it closed in order to repair it."

There is no firm date, Tempio said, when Semmes Road will reopen to traffic.

The road was closed in July to make way for the reconstruction of Semmes Lake Dam. The \$1.2 million project entailed replacing a drainage pipe underneath Semmes Road, which acts as an emergency spillway for the dam, with a larger pipe.

Semmes Lakes Dam was beginning to fail because the pipe had a large crack in it and dirt was starting to fill up the pipe through the crack. The problem was also causing Semmes Road to sink where it passes over the drainage pipe.

"You never realize how important a road is until you can't use it anymore. Many people use Semmes Road to travel across the installation," said Col. Lillian Dixon, Fort Jackson garrison commander. "We look forward to the road being reopened."

Contractors also drained and dredged Semmes Lake to remove built up sediment that was filling the lake in. The process deepened the lake and the water level is starting to build back up.

However, the lake will be drained again for Morale, Welfare and Recreation to build a 70-foot fishing pier. The lake will be restocked with a balanced population of large-mouth bass, brim and sunfish.

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Marines learn how Soldiers heal, rehabilitate

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A group of 20 Marines visited Fort Jackson Tuesday to observe Army training methods, with an emphasis on the physical rehabilitation and reconditioning of Soldiers injured during Basic Combat Training.

Visitors included the company commander of the Special Training Company, Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C., the executive officer, a chaplain, a civilian athletic trainer and several drill instructors.

Marine Capt. Lonnie Baxley, company commander, Special Training Co., said this was an opportunity to get his drill instructors away from Parris Island to see how their counterparts conduct training at a different training facility.

"We're always looking to improve what we're doing; always looking for a different perspective," Baxley said. "We felt like we could come down here, take away some of the things the Army does well and maybe, if

possible, implement them."

The Marines observed the 120th Adjutant General Battalion's (Reception) Warrior Training and Rehabilitation Program physical training, toured company areas and the physical therapy clinic, and watched injured BCT Soldiers receive basic skills training while they recuperate.

Baxley said Capt. Richard Moravec, commander of the Fort Jackson Fitness Training Company and a former Marine, was an excellent source of knowledge.

"With him being a physical therapist and knowing he's had a pretty good success rate at getting Soldiers rehabilitated and back out to training, it's great," Baxley said. "We're looking at how they run their physical fitness program, what he does to help keep them motivated, keep them focused and get them back out to training."

Moravec said an important part of the Fitness Training Co.'s mission is not only

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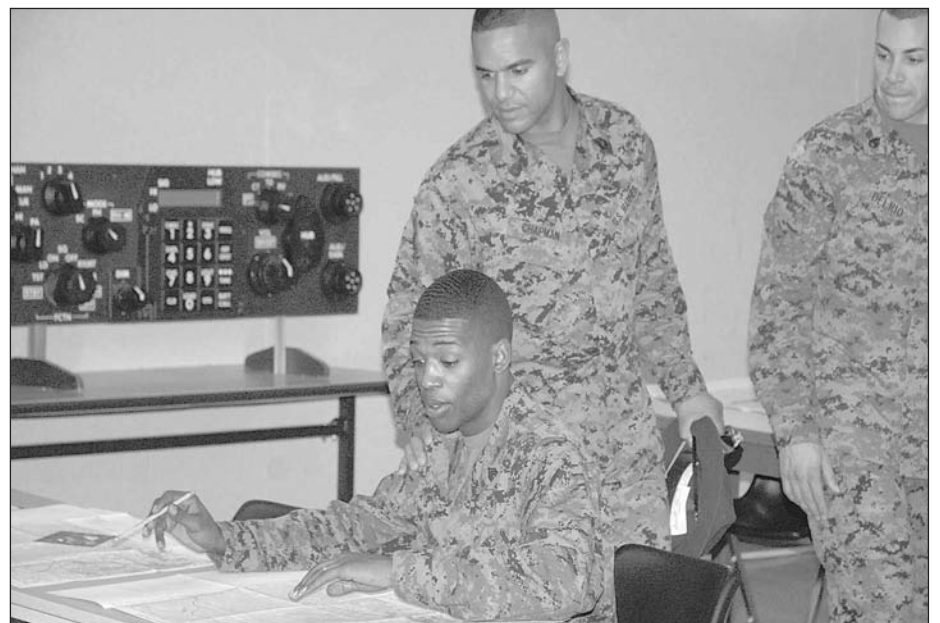


Photo by Heath Hamacher

Sgt. Taurus Pearson, a drill instructor at Marine Recruit Depot, Parris Island, follows along during a map class Tuesday at the 120th Adjutant General Bn. (Reception) as Gunnery Sgt. Scott Chapman and Staff Sgt. Antulio Del Rio look on.

Around Post

Family Readiness Group Forum

A forum for all registered FRG leaders will be held from 10 a.m. to noon, today at Building 2179, Sumter Avenue, Room A-12. Registration is required by Jan. 17. For more information and to register, call 751-7489 or e-mail Patricia.Guillory@jackson.army.mil.

Reclamation Sale

A reclamation sale for Soldiers will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday at 2570 Warehouse Road. The limits are two sets of ACU's and one set of boots per person. All other items are on basis of issue and only cash will be accepted. The schedule is as follows:

Monday — E1 through E5 active duty or Reserve on active duty.

Tuesday — Training Cadre to include 1st Sergeant, commanding officer, training non-commissioned officer, executive officer.

Wednesday and Thursday — All ranks, active duty.

Friday — Active duty, USAR, ARNG.

FCC Recruiting Providers

The Family Child Care Program is recruiting military spouses who live in government quarters, and certified off-post individuals to be Family Child Care providers. The next FCC training will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Feb. 11-14 at the Joe E. Mann Building, 3392 Magruder Ave. Applicants must apply by Feb. 1. For additional information, call 751-6234.

AG Regimental Breakfast

The Fort Jackson Adjutant General Regimental Association is holding a breakfast 7:15-8:30 a.m., Feb. 6 at the NCO Club. The guest speaker is Command Sgt. Maj. Andre Douglas. For more information, call 751-3012.

Town Hall Meeting

A town hall meeting on the installation's Amber Alert procedures is scheduled for 5:30 p.m., Feb. 8 at the Solomon Center.

Historical snapshots come alive

Black History Month traveling tour comes to Columbia

Mike A. Glasch
Leader Staff

Columbia will be one of four cities to host the 2008 U.S. Army "Heroes Among Us" Black History Month Program. The traveling tour will take place in stages during a three-week period beginning Tuesday.

The first part of the program is a two-day photo display honoring African-American Soldiers and pioneers.

"Heroes Among Us" is a photo display chronicling the history of African-American Soldiers' service in the U.S. Army and also showcases legendary African-American

civil rights, education, entertainment and sports pioneers.

It will be held at the McCrory Galleri, 1276 Assembly St., from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Tuesday and Wednesday. There is no admission charge.

A "Heroes Tour" to local high schools will complement the exhibit. The tour features African-American Soldiers who will share their stories with students and lead them in interactive classroom exercises which provide insight into the Army's role in American history.

The Army has also created a "Heroes

Among Us" lesson plan which highlights more than 300 years of African-American Soldiers military service. The study guide is designed for high school students and can be used in classrooms during Black History Month and throughout the school year.

Garrison Commander Col. Lillian Dixon will help kick off the event.

"I'm honored to be a part of helping spread the story of African-Americans in the Army," Dixon said. "The Army has been at the forefront of bringing about racial equality in our society."

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Soldier's Medals awarded



Photo by Chris Rasmussen

Brig. Gen. James H. Schwitters, Fort Jackson commanding general, congratulates Staff Sgt. Ruben Delvalle, Company B, Victory Support Battalion, who was presented the Soldier's Medal Friday. Schwitters also presented the award to Sgt. 1st Class Michael Gilpatric, Company B, Victory Support Battalion. Both Soldiers were involved with saving the lives of Soldiers injured in two separate incidents at the Remagen Hand Grenade Range. The Soldier's Medal is awarded for acts of heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy.

Soldier Show needs performers, techs

Tim Hipps
Army News Service

ALEXANDRIA, Va. — For those who missed the December deadline for an audition in the 2008 U.S. Army Soldier Show, now is the time to contact director Tim Higdon.

Audition spaces are still available for the 2008 season.

Army Entertainment Division needs vocalists, dancers and technicians for the song-and-dance extravaganza. The cast and crew likely will consist of 12 vocalists, five dancers and six technicians — ranging from stage and costume managers to audio and light technicians.

"A lot of experience isn't necessarily required — just a willingness to work and a willingness to be a part of a team that has a unique mission," said Higdon, who has extended the application deadline to Feb. 10. "We hope to make the whole show very high-tempo and high-energy, with a lot of entertainment that people can get into and have a good time with."

Application instructions are available on the Internet at www.ArmyMWR.com by clicking on Recreation & Leisure, Entertainment, and U.S. Army Soldier Show. For more details, contact Higdon at (703) 806-3698 or Timothy.B.Higdon@us.army.mil.

Live auditions for the 2008 U.S. Army Soldier Show, which will tour Europe and installations across the United States, will begin Feb. 20. The show will open in late April.



Photo by Tim Hipps, Army News Service

Spc. James Becton, Camp Red Cloud, Korea, brings spirit to the 2004 U. S. Army Soldier Show.

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a defective family structure are obstacles to having a prosperous country.

"We have to figure out how to get every one of our citizens to contribute their maximum potential to our society," he said.

"We have cities that need to be rebuilt, rivers that need to be cleaned up, houses that are falling apart, we have kids who need to be taught better and cared for better," Swinton said. "We have so many things to do that if we put folks to work doing them we would be adding to the value of our economy, giving them some dignity by allowing them to feel that are truly a part of this economy.

"This is what King was talking about; pursuing justice and pursuing fairness," he added.

In addition to the guest speaker, three students from C.C. Pinckney Elementary School were recognized for essays on what Dr. Martin Luther King meant to them.

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Freakley addresses drill sergeant candidates



Photo by Chris Rasmussen

Lt. Gen. Benjamin C. Freakley, commanding general U.S. Army Accessions Command and Initial Military Training, deputy commanding general for U.S. Training and Doctrine Command, speaks to students assigned to the Drill Sergeant School Tuesday afternoon at the 120th Adjutant General Battalion (Reception).

Hero among us

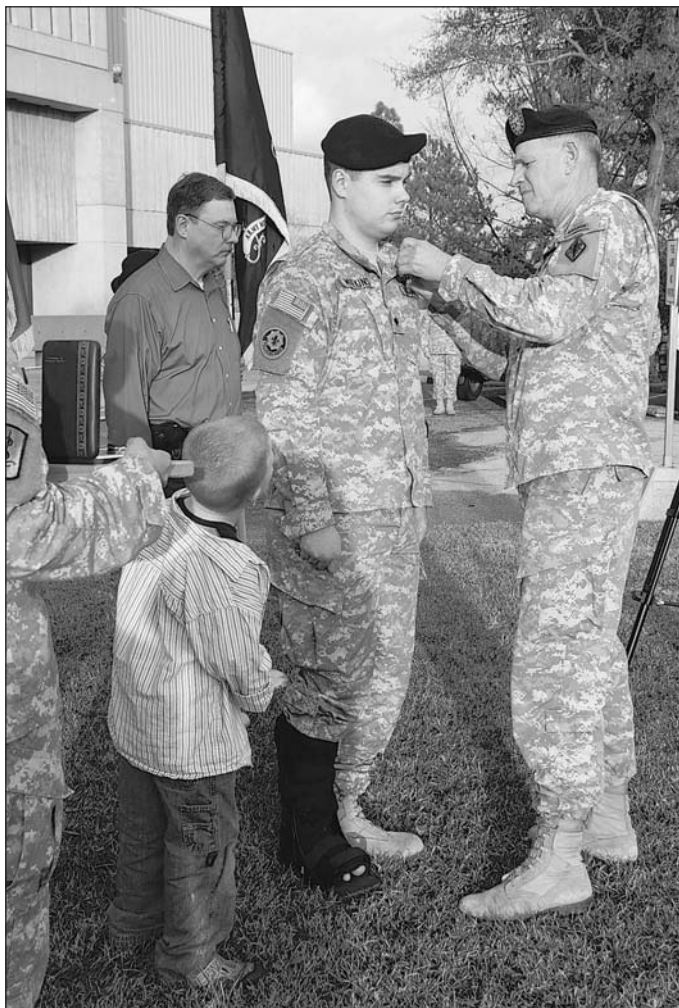


Photo by Nichole Riley, Moncrief Army Community Hospital

Spc. Paul Watkins, Warrior Transition Unit, receives a Purple Heart from Brig. Gen. James H. Schwitters, Fort Jackson commanding general, during a ceremony Jan. 11. Watkins was injured by shrapnel in Iraq after an IED explosion.

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maintenance and management of family housing at Fort Jackson.

GMH is planning a new 144-house development called Greenfield. The new development will be located just north of Semmes Road, across from the Fort Jackson Golf Club.

Effective June 1, family housing will transferred to GMH, which will be placing families in their homes or placing them on the waiting list if housing is not available.

The office will be located at 5939 Thomas Court until completion of the community center, which will be located at Brown Avenue.

"It is not going to be that much different than it is now," Shealy said. "The main difference is that starting June 1 occupants will be signing a lease, just as they would if they went off the installation and rented a property."

Community center construction is expected to begin this summer during the initial phase and last 12 to 18 months.

"The community center will feature a computer

room where residents will have access to the Internet. It will also serve as a gathering point for the community if occupants want to have parties," Shealy said. "In addition, the center will house the main leasing office."

The first phase of RCI will also include the renovation of housing units in Pierce Terrace 5 and 7.

"Renovation will take place as units become available," said Ian Andrews, RCI asset management. "We will do it when people PCS (permanent change of station) so we do not have to relocate occupants and inconvenience them."

Several town hall meetings, housing mayor meetings and focus groups will be held in the upcoming months to notify residents about the demolition, renovation and construction of new homes, Shealy said.

The six-year project is expected to cost \$184 million. Of Fort Jackson's current 1,162 housing units, 240 will be renovated and the rest will be demolished throughout the project; 610 new homes will be built.

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getting Soldiers physically ready to resume training, but keeping them mentally sharp. That is why part of his program includes regular instruction on basic Soldier skills, such as a map reading class held Tuesday.

"We want to make sure their knowledge doesn't deteriorate while they're here," he said.

Last year, Moravec said, about 480 Soldiers came through the program. While he may be happy with what his company is doing, he knows there is always room for improvement.

"We're going to go down and visit them next month. It's just kind of a way to share ideas and compare facilities," Moravec said. "It's the sharing of information, practices and knowledge to enhance both of our programs."

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FEATURE

New unit trains to bridge culture gap

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Leader Staff

Soldiers at Fort Jackson are gaining in-depth knowledge on how to interact in Middle Eastern culture, where one wrong action can jeopardize the entire mission.

The Cultural Awareness Team, which was formed in March as part of the 171st Infantry Brigade, offer their deployment experience at the Military Operations Urban Terrain site to Basic Combat Training and Advanced Individual Training Soldiers as well as Fort Jackson non-commissioned officers and officers.

“A lot of our Soldiers have never been out of their city, so it is a culture shock when they go over there,” said Maj. Chris Woody, Victory Support Battalion executive officer. “Our Soldiers will be in a combat zone in 90 days when they leave here. We have to give them every tool we can for them to survive.”

The Cultural Awareness Team — comprising of interpreters from a variety of Middle Eastern countries including Morocco, Iran, Lebanon and Iraq — have all deployed in the Global War on Terror. Information taught is taken from classes formed by U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command personnel at Fort Huachuca, Ariz., the proponent for Army Cultural Awareness.

“In counterinsurgency warfare, the key terrain is the population,” said Lt. Col. David Snodgrass, commander 2nd Battalion, 39th Infantry Regiment. “If the population believes you have their best interests at heart, they will be much more likely to support you rather than the insurgents or the terrorists.

“It is difficult for an individual to oppose someone who is bringing clean water, electricity and services to their village, and who treats them with dignity and respect,” Snodgrass said. “In this type of conflict, cultural awareness is as important as any other combat skill.”

The team offers knowledge on things such as a general understanding of Islam, the Arabic language and the fact that certain acts or gestures acceptable here may be insulting there.

“We focus on how to communicate with the people and we teach the Soldiers small phrases and words meant to be used as icebreakers,” said the team’s noncommissioned officer in charge. “They like it when you try to speak their language.”

The team has also been responsible for bringing realism to the MOUT Site, which includes a mosque, cemetery, mayor’s office and signage written in Arabic.

“We come out here for Victory Forge and make their training realistic,” Woody said.

Snodgrass said he believes the training offered by the team is invaluable in the War on Terror.

“I see the Cultural Awareness Team as a huge combat multiplier at Fort Jackson,” he said. “They provide critical assistance to our trainers in how to best seize the popular support of the people in a counterinsurgency. Without this popular support, often referred to as key terrain in a counterinsurgency, victory would not be possible.”

While members of the team could make considerably more working as contract interpreters, most consider giving back to their country more important than monetary wealth.

“We feel we are obligated as Americans and Soldiers to help other Soldiers overseas,” said a member of the team. “We are not doing it for the money. We are doing it because we feel it is our job as Americans.”

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Editor’s note: To protect the identity of members of the Cultural Awareness Team, names have been withheld.



Photos by Chris Rasmussen

A member of the Cultural Awareness Team plays the role of interpreter between a Basic Combat Training Soldier and tribal leader last December at the Military Operations Urban Terrain site.



The Cultural Awareness Team is responsible for revamping the Military Operations Urban Terrain site bringing realism to the training area such as this cemetery with signage and headstones written in Arabic.

Customer Service Corner

Group targets Jack's Inn guests

Christina Garza
Community FIRST Coordinator

This week's article will focus on recently completed issues which were submitted to Community FIRST/AFAP. These issues were reviewed by the Directorate of Family Morale, Welfare and Recreation.

The first issue, raised by the Family Members Focus Group, is the array of problems created by the non-military family members of graduating Soldiers for housing residents who live near the lodging area. The problems include speeding, noise from loud music and motorists using cell phones.

The group recommends that usage of Jack's Inn rentals be restricted to Mobilized Reservists, Soldiers going through a permanent change of station or military personnel attending schools on Fort Jackson.

FMWR reviewed this issue and responded that every patron of Jack's Inn signs a rental agreement that includes a list of rules concerning use of the facility.

This list will now include statements to remind patrons that operating electronic devices while driving is forbidden, that they need to drive slowly because of children playing in the area and that quiet hours begin at 10 p.m.

In addition, FMWR is requesting speed bumps in the lodging and family areas and also that the Directorate of Emergency Services increase patrols in the area during graduations.

The second issue, raised by the Civilian Employees Focus Group, is that lodging on post is not up to Army lodging standards. Kennedy Hall, Anderson Hall and Magruder Transient Area buildings are old and designed as barracks, not hotels. The plumbing, mold, ventilation and construction issues lead to an unsafe living environment for Soldiers and patrons.

The group recommended that the Army Lodging wellness plan be expedited for Fort Jackson. FMWR reviewed this issue and responded that the Fort Jackson Army Lodging Wellness Plan is an ongoing assessment of hotel/facilities and improve-

ment projects. The installation is currently working to bring all Fort Jackson lodging areas in compliance with the standards.

Phase I, executed in 2007, includes: refinishing the furniture in Dozier Hall; new carpet and flat-top stoves installed, the rooms painted and window treatments applied. In the Palmetto Lodge the interior was renovated, new kitchenettes and closets were installed and new furniture and equipment were purchased. Additional improvements to these buildings are ongoing.

Phase II will consist of a new 209-room hotel which will take about two years to complete.

Phase III will include renovations for both Kennedy Hall, and the Magruder Transient Area.

The Community FIRST/AFAP is an ongoing process that allows the community to submit issues which cannot be fixed by the Interactive Customer Evaluation system.

In January, issues are being collected for the Army Family Action Plan Conference. Issues can be submitted through the Customer Management Services Web site or Community FIRST/AFAP ICE link, whether it affects Fort Jackson or the whole Army; feedback is important. Help the community by submitting issues and recommendations online at <http://www.jackson.army.mil/WellBeing/wellbeing.htm>.

Click on "Submit an Issue or Recommendation" or click on the AFAP Logo to submit an issue.

Army Family Action Plan Conference

The date has changed for the Fort Jackson Army Family Action Plan Conference. The conference will be held April 1 at the Fort Jackson Officers' Club. This is for members of the Fort Jackson community to voice concerns directly to the installation command staff. The CSC staff needs two groups of 15-20 delegates to participate in the AFAP Conference, for a total of 30-40 people. Anyone wishing to participate, as a volunteer, a delegate or in some other capacity should call the AFAP Coordinator at 751-3425/5547 by Feb. 29.

*A tip of the campaign
hat to this week's ...*

Drill Sergeants of the Cycle

"Victory Starts Here"



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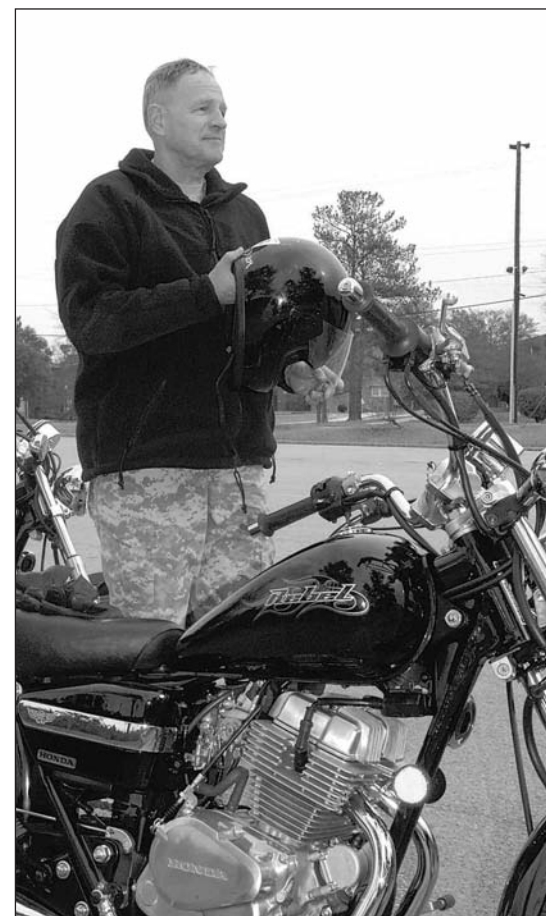
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CG, DCO set safety example



Photos by Chris Rasmussen

In the above photo, Col. Kevin Shwedo, Fort Jackson deputy commanding officer, right, prepares to go through an obstacle course, and Brig. Gen. James H. Schwitters, Fort Jackson commanding general, right photo, takes a break from training during the Basic Motorcycle Riders Course Jan. 24. The two-day safety course, which is required before operating a motorcycle or moped on the installation, is offered weekly. For information, call 751-RIDE or 751-6004.



ARMY NEWS

Say goodbye to BDUs, accessories in 2008

Elizabeth M. Lorge
Army News Service

WASHINGTON — The Army's Deputy Chief of Staff for G-1 (Personnel) announced this month that the final wear-out date for the Army Battle Dress Uniform and Desert Battle Dress Uniform will be April 30 for both active-duty and reserve-component Soldiers.

The Army began phasing out the woodland and desert-patterned uniforms on June 14, 2004, with the debut of the digital-patterned Army Combat Uniform.

"Our Army is always looking to constantly improve on everything we do, both on and off the battlefield," said Sgt. Maj. Katrina L. Easley, uniform policy sergeant major at G-1. "We took a look the combat usability of what was once a good uniform, and based upon feedback from the field, decided to improve it and fix the many problems reported. There were at least 20 changes made and the result is the current ACU.

"Response has been fantastic. Soldiers have adapted well to the new uniform and they tell us they truly appreciate the improvements that were made. This uniform was designed by Soldiers for Soldiers."

All brown T-shirts, black combat boots and green and

black jungle boots, woodland and desert-camouflage caps, olive-drab-green name and U.S. Army tapes, subdued-olive-green shoulder-sleeve insignias and the black rigger belt and web belt with open-faced black buckle will also become obsolete April 30.

Active-duty and reserve-component Soldiers can continue to wear the black-knit cap and the black micro-fleece-knit cap with the cold-weather woodland-camouflage field jacket until Sept. 30.

The Army Reserve Officer Training Corps wear-out date for these items is April 9.

According to Easley, there have not been any official surveys to determine how many Soldiers still have the BDUs or Desert BDUs, but she said it probably would be hard to find many who are not wearing the ACU.

But if Soldiers are hanging on to any of these uniforms, they can save them for posterity. They are not required to turn them in. The only requirement is that they know the wear-out date and report for duty in ACUs May 1.

"Thousands of our great Soldiers spent many years defending our country wearing that honorable uniform. I know it means something to them, just as wearing the ACU will mean something to today's Army," Easley said.



Leader File Photo

The Battle Dress Uniform was first issued in 1981 and has a wear-out date of April 30.

Army creates virtual installations to support families

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Army News Service

WASHINGTON — In an age of persistent conflict and geographically-dispersed families, the Army is taking family support to a new level with virtual installations and virtual Family Readiness Groups.

The Army Reserve wants to create local and Web-based virtual installations where families, who may live hundreds of miles from the nearest installation, can access the same support and resources as active-duty Soldiers and families, such as: TRICARE, child and youth services, counseling and chaplain's programs and financial and legal information.

"We need to retain these Soldiers and you do that by retaining the families," said Laura Stultz, wife of Army Reserve chief Lt. Gen. Jack Stultz. "If the families feel secure, the Soldier won't worry about them, and the families will know that their problems will be looked into. They need the same services that active-component families have on an installation because their Soldiers are putting their lives on the same line as everybody else. They deserve the same degree of help and resources."

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She added that they want to have a zip-code-based system online, similar to the search function on www.MyArmyLife

too.com, where Soldiers and families can enter their zip codes into the Web site and find the nearest place to get help and the nearest FRG, whether it is active-duty, Reserve or National Guard.

The next step would be to set up mini Army Reserve centers in towns and cities across America, which would function like Army Community Service offices, repositories for community support, emergency relief and even places families can go to renew their military IDs.

"I was just insistent that there be some place that you can have face to face meetings with people. A lot of people don't have access to a computer, or English is their second language, or they just don't know how to explain their needs on the telephone. I wanted there to be offices or some place across the country where families could go to and talk to somebody live.

"In my experience, there are veterans who say, 'What can we do to help?' In some instances, all we'll need to get is a computer and a telephone hookup for them; and others it will be finding a place. Some towns we can use the National Guard centers or the veterans' halls, but if there's no place to put it, we might have to find our own office space, in a shopping center or something people can find easily. Hopefully, in a few years everyone will know where it is, just like they know where the post office is," Stultz said.

Right now, the Army Reserve is beginning focus groups with families to see where they want these centers and what they want online.

Ideally, the Reserve would begin building the centers near the heaviest Reserve population centers that are far from installations.

Located two hours from the nearest FRG with four young children during her husband's deployments to the Persian Gulf and the Balkans in the Nineties, Stultz knows how hard it can be to fit crucial support meetings into busy schedules.

Per the request of families, especially children and teenagers, she and the Army Reserve are looking to find ways to incorporate chat rooms on the Web site, and plan to add this feature as soon as they work out security issues.

Chat rooms, blogs and instant messaging are also a goal of virtual FRGs, said Shaunya Murrill, the automation manager for the family programs directory at the Family, Morale, Welfare and Recreation Command. She also runs a virtual FRG for her husband's Indianapolis Recruiting Battalion.

Tested in 2004 and launched Army-wide in 2006, virtual FRGs are paid for by FMWRC and are a way for commanders, rear-detachment commanders and family readiness leaders to provide up-to-date information to families, even if they are geographically spread out, as with the reserve component.

"It was never designed to replace the FRG, but it's an extension of it," said Murrill. "Family members can find out what's going on with their unit by logging in. This is an opportunity for the commander to stay connected. I think it's been a valuable tool to my husband and his colleagues because they don't necessarily have the time to have a lot of meetings or the funding to bring in families from across the state. So this is an opportunity for them to get relevant, pertinent and timely information out.

"If you want to get involved, you see what's available, you see the calendar, you

jump in if you want to, and if you don't, you don't have to," she continued. "Before with the telephone tree, when people were doing it only the old way, people would leave and kind of fall off. Here, you come in and update your information with the automated telephone tree."

To date, there are about 1,200 sites and 117,000 registered users throughout the Army. Commanders at the battalion level and up simply must fill out an application at www.ArmyFRG.org, provide a point of contact and some basic information, and Murrill and her team set up the site. They provide tutorials for the site manager and any necessary technical support.

The sites typically include news articles, photos, hyperlinks, frequently-asked questions and updates from commanders. FMWRC is still working on the security issues related to blogs and chat rooms, but the sites can have monitored forums.

Virtual FRGs have undergone the Defense Information Technology Certification Information Accreditation Process and are completely secure. Soldiers provide a list of loved ones in writing and the system automatically generates an invitation to the unit site, complete with hyperlink. The list can include anyone the Soldier wants: the spouse, but also parents and siblings, for example.

Murrill said the most common feedback she receives are requests for more interactive features and comments that the Army waited too long to go virtual, but that she never hears anything bad about the virtual FRGs.

The best thing, she said, is that instead of families having to wait for their Soldiers to tell them about events or new initiatives, the families are often updating the Soldiers.

COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHTS

Girl Scouts court CG's appetite



Photos by Heath Hamacher

Brig. Gen. James H. Schwitters, Fort Jackson commanding general, right, talks to a few of the installation's Girl Scouts Monday before he picks his first box of Girl Scout cookies. The girls are from left: Hannah Harvey, Junior, Erin Harvey, Cadette, Haley Brooks, Junior, Jennifer White, Daisy, and Savannah Langley, Junior. Cookies will be sold at the Main Post Exchange Feb. 15-18, 21-24, 28 and 29 for \$3.50 per box. For more information on cookie sales or joining the Girl Scouts, call 736-5875.

This Week

Financial Planning for Initial PCS

A class on financial planning for Soldiers who PCS for the first time will be held 8:30-10:30 a.m., today at the Education Center. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Leadership Panel Discussion

The ROCKS, Inc. will present a panel discussion on leadership in recognition of National Mentoring Month 11:30 a.m., today at the NCO Club, Party Room 1. Officers, warrant officers, NCOs and civilians are invited to attend. For more information, call 751-5421/1898.

Blowout Sale

The Thrift Shop will hold a blowout sale Saturday. For more information, call 787-2153.

Family Readiness Group Leadership Training

FRG leadership training will be held Feb. 27-29. Registration is required by Monday. For child care, contact the Mobilization and Deployment Program by Wednesday.

For more information, call 751-7489/7491 or e-mail Patricia.Guillory@jackson.army.mil.

Play Group

A play group will be held 10-11:30 a.m., Monday at 5953C Parker Lane. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Employment Readiness Orientation

An employment readiness orientation will be held from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Tuesday at the Strom Thurmond Building,

Room 213. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Parents Who Care (Early Childhood)

A Parents Who Care (Early Childhood) meeting will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Tuesday at the Strom Thurmond Building, CPAC conference room. For more information, call 751-4862.

Debt Management and Credit

A class on debt management and credit will be held 8:30-10:30 a.m., Tuesday at the Education Center, Room B302. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Managing Your Emotions Under Stress

A class on how to manage emotions while under stress will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Tuesday at the MG Robert B. Solomon Center, Marion Room. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Rear Detachment Commander's Course, Phase II

A seminar on the duties and responsibilities of the Rear Detachment Commander will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday-Thursday. For more information, call 751-7477.

Newcomers Orientation

A Newcomers Orientation Briefing will be held 9-11 a.m., Wednesday at the Post Conference Room. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Quick Jobs

Midlands Technical College will present their "Quick Jobs" programs 9-11 a.m., Wednesday at the Education Center, Room B206.

For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Parents Who Care (Adolescents)

A Parents Who Care (Adolescents) meeting will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wednesday at the Strom Thurmond Building, CPAC conference room. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Re-Entry Briefing

A re-entry briefing will be held 11 a.m., Wednesday at the Post Conference Room. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Sergeant Audie Murphy Club Induction Ceremony

The Fort Jackson chapter of the Sergeant Audie Murphy Club will hold an induction ceremony 2 p.m., Wednesday at the Joe E. Mann Center. For more information, call 751-7810.

Upcoming

AER Commander's, 1st Sgt. Referral Training

An Army Emergency Relief fund commander's referral training will be held 9-10:30 a.m., Feb. 7 at the Education Center, Room B302. This class is mandatory for company commanders and first sergeants. Registration is free, but required. To register or for more information, call 751-5256.

Kinder Gym

Kinder Gym will be held from 10:45 a.m. to noon, Feb. 8 at the Youth Services Gym. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Army Nurse Corps Anniversary

The Army Nurse Corps will celebrate its 107th anniversary 6 p.m., Feb. 9 at the NCO Club. The guest speaker is Maj. Gen. Gale Pollock, chief of the Army Nurse Corps. Uniform for the event is Dress Mess, Dress Blues or appropriate civilian attire. For reservations or for more information, call 751-2119 or e-mail Jack.Holdford@amedd.army.mil.

Play Group

A play group will be held 10-11:30 a.m., Feb. 11 at 5953C Parker Lane. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

Successful Interviewing

A class on successfully interviewing for a job will be held 9-11:30 a.m. at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 213. For more information, call 751-5256/6325.

African American History Month Luncheon

A luncheon celebrating African American History Month will be held

from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Feb. 12 at the MG Robert B. Solomon Center.

The guest speaker is retired Command Sgt. Maj. Cravis Taybron. Tickets cost \$9. For more information, call 751-4247.

EFMP Support Group

The Exceptional Family Member Program Support Group will meet 6-8 p.m., Feb. 12 at the Youth Center. For more information, call 751-5256/6325

Helping Hand Award Presentation

The first quarter Helping Hand Award presentation will be held 9 a.m., Feb. 13 at the Post Conference Room. For more information, call 751-5444.

Parents Who Care (Teens)

A Parents Who Care (Teens) meeting will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Feb. 13 at the Strom Thurmond Building, CPAC conference room. For more information, call 751-4862.

Job Fair Resume Writing

A class on how to prepare a resume for a job fair will be held 9-11:30 a.m., Feb. 13 at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 213. For more information, call 751-5256/6325

Reassignment Briefing

A Reassignment Briefing will be held 1:30 p.m., Feb. 13 at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 213. The Phase II briefing (for overseas assignments only) will be held immediately following the Phase I briefing and is mandatory for all Soldiers scheduled to PCS overseas. For more information, call 751-5578.

Child Abuse Awareness Class

A child abuse awareness class will be held from noon to 2 p.m., Feb. 13 at the Main Post Chapel. For more information, call 751-5256/6325

Levy Briefing

A Levy Briefing will be held 2:30-3:30 p.m., Feb. 13 at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 213. For more information, call 751-5256/6325

Hearts Apart

Family Support Group Social

The Hearts Apart Family Support Group will meet for a Pre-Valentine's Day potluck social 4-8 p.m., Feb. 13 at the Joe E. Mann Center ballroom on Magruder Avenue. Bring your favorite dish. R.S.V.P. by Feb. 8. For more information, call 751-7489/7491 or 397-0168 or e-mail Patricia.Guillory@jackson.army.mil.

Announcements

Absentee Voting

Absentee voters can exercise their right

COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHTS

Homes and love needed



Photos by Kristen Marquez

These animals at the Fort Jackson Veterinary Clinic need a home. From left: loveable 1-2-year-old female mixed breed dog, 1-year-old male cat. For information on adoption, call 751-7160.

to vote by completing the Federal Post Card Application (FPCA Standard Form 76) or complying with the ballot request procedures enacted by the state in which they vote. After mailing in the application, the voter will receive his or her absentee ballot. Mailing guidelines differ from state to state. For more information, contact your Unit Voting Assistance Officer or visit www.vote.army.mil.

Mandatory Registration for FRG Leaders

In accordance with AR 608-1, all Family Readiness Group leaders must be registered with Army Community Service, Mobilization and Deployment Program. FRG leaders disseminate information, events and available resources to family members and the chain of command. To report e-mail address or contact number changes, call 751-7489. If certified at another installation, bring certificate of training to 2179 Sumter Ave., Room A-12.

Auto Craft User Certification, Basic Skills Class

The Fort Jackson Auto Craft Shop offers Auto Craft User Certification and Basic Skills classes 5-7 p.m. every Thursday and from 10 a.m. to noon every Saturday. Patrons must be certified before using the Auto Craft Shop. For more information, call 751-5755.

Gold Star Lapel Pin

Soldiers who have lost an immediate family member in combat are now authorized to wear the Gold Star lapel pin on the Army Green uniform. Immediate family is defined as a spouse, mother, father, children or step-children.

Enlisted Soldiers wear the pin centered both vertically and horizontally on the left lapel of the uniform. Officers wear the pin centered on the left lapel one quarter inch below the branch insignia. For more information, refer to Army Regulation 670-1, paragraph 29-7.

DECA Scholarships for Military Children

The Defense Commissary Agency awards \$1,500 scholarships to unmarried children under the age of 21 (23 if enrolled in school) of active-duty, Reserve, Guard and retired military personnel. All applicants must be enrolled in the DEERS database and have a current ID card. The applicant must be planning to attend an accredited college or university full-time in the fall term of 2008.

Applications for the scholarships are available in commissaries worldwide or online at <http://www.commissaries.com> or at <http://militaryscholar.org>.

Applications must be turned in to a commissary by Feb. 20.

Reporting Abuse

Every Soldier and member of the military community should report information about known and suspected cases of spouse or child abuse to the reporting points of contact.

The military police have been designated for handling all reports of abuse and neglect, including those which occur in a Department of Defense sanctioned or operated activity. The 24-hour report line is 751-3113.

School

Kindergarten Registration

Richland School District Two elementary schools are holding kindergarten registration through today. Prospective students must be 5 years old by Sept. 1.

To register, parents must present the child's birth certificate, South Carolina immunization form, Social Security number and three or more items for proofs of residence. Registration is available during normal hours of operation at the school the child will be attending. For more information, call 751-6150.

Recurring Meetings

Weekly

Walking Away Stress meets at 9 a.m., Mondays and Fridays at the pecan orchard near the post office on Early Street. For a walking log or more information, call 751-6325.

Range Control Briefing is held at 1 p.m., Mondays and Fridays at the Education Center, Room 302. For more information, call 751-7171.

Civil Air Patrol meets at 7 p.m., Mondays at Owens Field and 7 p.m., Tuesdays at Columbia Metropolitan Airport. For more information, e-mail cc@scwg.cap.gov or visit online at www.scwg.cap.gov.

Helping Everyone Reach Optimum Strength meets 5-6 p.m., Tuesdays at Moncrief Army Community Hospital, seventh floor. It is open to combat veterans and their family members. For more information, call 751-2160/2183.

Medical Board Office is closed from 7:30 a.m. until 1 p.m., every Thursday. For information, call 751-0359/7152/7318.

Protestant Women of the Chapel meet Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Main Post Chapel. Homeschoolers are welcome and evening studies are available. Free childcare is available. For information, e-mail pwocjackson@yahoo.com.

Overseas Travel Clinic is held from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Fridays. For more information, call 751-5151.

Military Widows/Widowers Association meets at 2 p.m.,

Sundays at Moncrief Army Community Hospital, eighth floor. For more information, call 787-2469.

Monthly

Seabees meet at 7 p.m., the second Monday of each month at the West Metro Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Center. Call 755-7792 or 755-0300 for more information.

Sergeant Audie Murphy Club meets at 11:30 a.m., the first Tuesday of the month at the Post Conference Room, and is open to everyone.

Gastric Bypass Support Group meets at 6 p.m., the second Tuesday of the month in the Moncrief Army Community Hospital eighth floor physical therapy waiting room. For more information, call 751-0392. This is not just for weight loss patients; anyone interested is welcome.

Fleet Reserve Association Unit 202 meets at 1 p.m., the third Tuesday of the month at 2620 Lee Road. Call 482-4456 for information.

Fort Jackson "Victory Riders" Motorcycle Club meets at 5 p.m., the first and third Thursdays of the month at Magruder's Club. For information, e-mail sec@ffvictoryriders.com.

Society of American Military Engineers meets at 11:30 a.m., the fourth Thursday of the month. For information, call 254-0518 or 765-0320.

U.S. Navy Sea Cadets meet the third weekend of each month. The group is for children ages 11-18. For more information call 622-8707.

District Two school-choice briefings

Online applications for Richland School District Two School Choice will be accepted until 5 p.m., Feb. 8. Videos on the programs and schools are available online at www.richland2.org. On-post students currently in sixth grade may apply for expanded choice and magnets, but fifth grade students may only apply for magnets. For more information call 751-6150. All meetings begin at 6:30 p.m.

Date	Location	Type
Feb. 4	Blythewood HS auditorium	school
Feb. 4	Lonnies B. Nelson Elementary auditorium	magnet school
Feb. 5	Spring Valley HS little theater	school and magnet

MWR

New 30-minute circuit training to launch soon

Theresa O’Hagan
Morale, Welfare and Recreation

A new exercise program will soon be available to members of the Fort Jackson community.

“Get Ripped!” circuit training begins Feb. 15 at Knight Pool and will be available from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday-Friday. “Get Ripped!” is circuit training that can be completed in 30 minutes.

“During the first few months, consultations on how to get started will be made available by appointment,” said Pam Greene, fitness programmer, Morale, Welfare and Recreation.

People may start their program anytime between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Workout equipment will be laid out in a circuit to work upper and lower body. Between each circuit, participants do 30 seconds of cardiovascular exercises — running in place, jumping jacks or marching, for



during the circuit to help everyone keep at the right pace. When beginning the circuit, a 30-minute timer is set. A

example. The final round of cardiovascular exercise can be a lap in the pool.

“Or, you can do the circuit and then end your work out by swimming laps, or running in the water,” Greene said. It is not allowed to go in and out of the water and get back on the circuit.

Music with 140 beats per minute will be played

red light will come on when it is time to move to the next station in the circuit. The workout time for each station is 30 seconds.

This self-paced fitness program is free and open to all MWR-eligible patrons. For optimal effect, Greene recommends doing the circuit workout three times a week.

At the beginning of his or her individual workout program, the participant will be given a biometric screening and recommended weight to use on each circuit station. Each participant will be given a sheet explaining how the circuit works, along with recommended stretches to do before and after working out.

As with any exercise program, one should consult a doctor before beginning.

If you would like to set up an appointment for a fitness consultation, either individually or as part of a group, call 751-5768.



Today
Southern Style Lunch Buffet, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Officers’ Club. The buffet is open to everyone.

SKIES Makes Rainbows is having a **clothes drive** for Carolina Children’s Home. New clothing for teenagers can be dropped off with Beverly Metcalfe or Robin Bixler at the Joe E. Mann Building or at regularly scheduled SKIES classes. New socks, underwear, T-shirts, laundry baskets and hoodies in adult sizes are accepted.

Friday

Play **Victory Bingo** and win prizes up to \$15,000. There are guaranteed \$50 payouts.

Dance to a variety of music provided by DJ Randall at **Magruders Club** from 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. The club is located in the back of Magruders Pub and the cover

charge is \$3 for military and \$5 for civilians.

Artistic Expression with Jake begins at 6:30 p.m. at the Youth Center Teen Room.

First Friday Golf at the Fort Jackson Golf Club starts at 1 p.m.

Saturday

Step Team practice begins at 2 p.m. at the Youth Center Dance Room.

The NCO Club presents **Classic Soul Saturday** from 9:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. in the Excalibur Room. The cover charge is \$3 for military and \$5 for civilians. Live broadcasts from the BIG DM 101.3 with giveaways are 9:30-11 p.m.

Sunday

Play **Victory Bingo** 12:30-4:30 p.m. Come out to **Brunch** from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Officers’ Club.

Family Day at the Youth Center will be held 2-6 p.m.

Watch the big game at the **Super Bowl Party** held at **Magruders Sports Bar**.

Monday

The NCO Club presents a **full lunch**

buffet, featuring fried chicken or fish, fresh vegetables, a full salad bar, soup, assorted desserts and a beverage from 11 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. for \$7.

Tuesday

Movie Night begins at 6 p.m. at the Youth Center in the Teen Room.

Enjoy **free movies** every Tuesday at Magruders Pub.

Wednesday

Be a sensation with **Karaoke at Magruders Club** at 7:30 p.m. Cover charge is \$3 for military and \$5 for civilians.

Ongoing Offers

- The **NCO Club lunch buffet** is served from 11 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., daily. The cost is \$7 for adults and \$3.75 for children.

- The **NCO Club breakfast** is served 6-9 a.m., Monday through Friday. The cost for adults is \$7 and \$3.75 for children 4-10 years old.

- The **Officers’ Club specializes in catering** wedding receptions, anniversaries, promotions and other special occasions.

- The **NCO Club caters** to all your

needs: dining in, dining out, promotions, breakfasts, meetings, birthdays, weddings, graduations, retirements and any other special occasion.

- **Victory Travel** has special offers for a variety of dinner shows and attractions. Some require reservations. Stop by Victory Travel in the MG Robert B. Solomon Center for more information on discounts.

- Enjoy resort accommodations for two to six people for less than you would pay for most hotels with the **Armed Forces Vacation Club**.

For details and samples of resort availability, call the reservation center at (800) 724-9988. Be sure to tell them you are a first-time Armed Forces Vacation Caller. A vacation counselor will take your enrollment and help you find an available resort. Fort Jackson is Installation No.164.

- **Child care** fees are based on total family income (not rank or grade). Care during duty hours is work-related, so fees are based on a family’s ability to pay a fair share. The Army makes no profit, but funds the difference in what is paid and the actual cost of child care. Call 751-4865 for information.

HEALTH

Red Dress Campaign kicks off Heart Month

Sandra Norcross, RN
Moncrief Army Community Hospital

As part of American Heart Month in February, Army Public Health Nursing encourages all Americans to celebrate National Wear Red Day Friday.

National Wear Red Day is a great opportunity to reach out to women in the community and alert them to their personal risk factors for heart disease.

By wearing red and partaking in community activities, participants show their support for women and heart disease awareness.

In February 2003, the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, part of the National Institutes of Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, unveiled a

national awareness campaign for women about heart disease called The Heart Truth, or Red Dress Campaign, which introduced the red dress as the national symbol for women and heart disease awareness.

A simple red dress works as a visual alert to get the message heard that heart disease is the leading cause of death among women.

National Wear Red Day is an annual event held the first Friday in February. The first observance was an-



nounced at the White House in February 2004. On National Wear Red Day, women and men across the country wear red to unite in the national movement to give women a personal and urgent wake-up call about their risk of heart disease. Everyone can participate in this life-saving awareness movement by showing off a favorite red dress, shirt or tie, or by wearing the Red Dress pin.

For more information about National Wear Red Day activities and The Heart Truth, including downloadable materials on women and heart disease and ordering information for the Red Dress pin, visit www.hearttruth.gov or call the NHLBI Health Information Center at (301)592-8573. For additional information, call APHN at 751-5035.

Facts about colorectal cancer

Sandra Norcross, RN
Moncrief Army Community Hospital

Colorectal cancer is the second leading cause of cancer death in the United States, despite the fact that with early detection and removal, chances of survival exceed 90 percent.

Most colon cancers start with benign polyps. If the polyps grow unnoticed and are not removed, they may become cancerous. Colon cancer is one of the few cancers, though, that can be prevented.

The most effective screening test for colon cancer is a complete colonoscopy.

While colonoscopy is the “gold standard,” there are other approved screening tests.

Though not as reliable as a complete colonoscopy, these other tests have been approved for screening by groups like the American Cancer Society, and are preferable to not being screened at all. Alternative tests include: Fecal occult blood testing, flexible sigmoidoscopy or barium x-ray.

cancer or polyps.

What is a colonoscopy?

The large intestine (also called the large bowel), consists of the colon and rectum, which is the final part of the digestive system. In a colonoscopy, the patient is sedated and a doctor uses a thin, flexible tube to examine the entire large intestine. If a polyp (abnormal growth) is seen, it can be biopsied and removed. About 30 percent of people who are screened for colorectal cancer are found to have polyps.

Are there ways to prevent colon cancer?

To prevent colon cancer, specialists recommend eating a high-fiber, low-fat diet with plenty of fruits and vegetables, being physically active, maintaining a healthy weight, limiting alcohol consumption and to quitting smoking.

Because most polyps, and many colon cancers, have no symptoms, it is very important to have colorectal cancer screenings. A health-care provider can give guidance on the best screening option.

For additional information, call 751-2501/5035.

Pharmacies open on Saturday

On-post pharmacies will now be open Saturdays for customer convenience. The main hospital pharmacy will be open from 7:30 a.m. to noon and the refill pharmacy will be open from 9 a.m. to noon. To refill a prescription: call toll-free (866) 489-0950; call 751-2250; or visit online at <http://www.moncrief.amedd.army.mil>.

Pneumococcal vaccine

Pneumococcal disease is a serious disease, which can cause significant illness or death. The disease has become increasingly resistant to drugs such as penicillin, which emphasizes the importance of prevention through vaccination. All adults 65 and older should get pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine (PPV). The vaccine is available at Moncrief Army Community Hospital. For more information, contact your health care provider.

TRICARE Prime

Beneficiaries enrolled in TRICARE Prime at MACH can schedule an appointment 24 hours a day, seven days a week at www.tricareonline.com or www.moncrief.amedd.army.mil. For more information call 751-2752.

Helpful Information

Toll-free phone number for MACH is (877) 273-5584 or call locally at 751-CARE (2273), or visit www.moncrief.amedd.army.mil www.tricare.osd.mil

Pharmacy Refills

Refill prescriptions online at www.moncrief.amedd.army.mil. Look for “Pharmacy Refills Online” on the right side of the Web page. The Post Exchange Refill Pharmacy is the only site to pick up refills called in or ordered online. MEDDAC requires an authorization form to be completed and signed before a spouse, family member or friend can pick up someone else’s prescriptions.

Adult Preventive Health Services

Recommended tests for adults

Test	Age	Frequency
Blood Pressure (Hypertension)	18 and older	Every office visit or yearly
Cholesterol (Hyperlipidemia)	35 and older	Every five years if levels are normal
Mammogram (Breast cancer)	40 and older (women)	Every year
Pap Smear (Cervical cancer)	21 and older earlier if sexually active	Every one to three years
Chlamydia (Chllamydial infection)	25 or younger (women, if sexually active)	Yearly until age 26
Colonoscopy (Colon cancer)	50 and older	Every five to 10 years if normal
Stool Occult Blood (Colon cancer)	50 and older	Every year
Bone Mineral Density (Osteoporosis)	65 and older (women)	Periodically

Health Talks

To have a professional staff member from MEDDAC address a group on health care subjects or preventive medicine wellness check, call the health promotion coordinator at 751-5035 or the Department of Quality Management at 751-2501.

CHAPEL

When is the risk worth it?

Chaplain (Maj.) Stephen W. Austin
U.S. Army Chaplain Center and School

In his new book, “Take the Risk,” Dr. Ben Carson looks at our attitudes toward risk. He is an interesting person to talk about this, because as a pediatric neurosurgeon he frequently performs high-risk surgeries on children who have a lot of life to lose.

Carson points out what we all know: sometimes, we take risks that serve no purpose — and that is just stupid. However, he focuses more on the opposite problem, being too afraid of risk. It is possible for us to be so adverse to risk that we are unable to seize new challenges and opportunities. Life without risk is probably not a life worth living.

We understand this concept in the Army. When we talk about risk management, we know that does not mean eliminating risk, but rather ensuring that we are taking appropriate risk. We are willing to risk life itself when our service demands it because we understand that some things are worth taking that level of risk.

I personally think that the ability to take risk has something to do with what we believe about God. If we trust God as someone who “has our back” we will be much more willing to stand up and step out.

This confidence in God extends beyond this life, enabling us to believe that to risk physical death is better than failing to live.

Psalm 91 puts it this way, “God will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways.”

As we begin a new year, what appropriate risk are you ready to take to live the life that God has planned for you?



Worship services

Protestant

- Sunday 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Daniel Circle Chapel (Gospel)
8 a.m. Bayonet Chapel (Hispanic)
9:00 and 10:30 a.m. Magruder Chapel
9:30 a.m. Main Post Chapel
10:45 a.m. Post-wide Sunday School (Post Chapel)
11 a.m. Daniel Circle Chapel
11 a.m. Memorial Chapel
11 a.m. Chapel Next
Chaplain School
 - Wednesday 7 p.m. Gospel Mid-week Service Daniel Circle Chapel
- PROTESTANT BIBLE STUDY**
- Monday 7 p.m. Women's Bible Study (PWOC - Post Chapel, Class 209)
 - Wednesday 7 p.m. Anderson Street Chapel
7 p.m. Daniel Circle Chapel
7 p.m. Gospel Congregation's Youth (Daniel Circle Chapel)
 - Thursday 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study (PWOC, Post Chapel)
6 p.m. Neighborhood CMF/OCF Bible Study (Call 790-4699)
7 p.m. LDS Bible Study (Anderson Chapel)
 - Saturday 8 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast (Post Chapel, every second Saturday of the month in Chapel Fellowship Hall)

PROTESTANT YOUTH OF THE CHAPEL

- Sunday 5 p.m. Daniel Circle Chapel (1st & 3rd Sundays)
- Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Main Post Chapel

Lutheran/Episcopalian

- Sunday 8 a.m. Memorial Chapel

Islamic

- Sunday 8-10 a.m. Islamic Studies
- Friday 12:30-1:45 p.m. Jumrah Services (both — Main Post Chapel)

Church of Christ

- Sunday 11:30 a.m. Anderson Chapel

Catholic

- M-F 11:30 a.m. Mass (Post Chapel)
- Sunday 8 a.m. Mass (Solomon Center)
11 a.m. Mass (Main Post Chapel)
9:30 a.m. Mass (120th AG Battalion Chapel)
9:30 a.m. CCD (Education Center)
9:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School
12:30 a.m. Catholic Youth Ministry
- Wednesday 7 p.m. Rosary
7:30 p.m. RCIA/Adult Inquiry

Jewish

- Sunday 9:30-10:30 a.m. Memorial Chapel
10:30-11:30 a.m. Jewish Book Study (Post Conference Room)

Latter Day Saints

- Sunday 9:30-11 a.m. Anderson St. Chapel

Addresses, phone numbers

Daniel Circle Chapel — 3359 Daniel Circle, Corner of Jackson Blvd., 751-4216
Main Post Chapel — 4580 Strom Thurmond Blvd., corner of Scales Ave., 751-6469
Bayonet Chapel — 9476 Kemper St., 751-4542
Family Life Chaplain - 4850 Strom Thurmond Blvd. (inside of Main Post Chapel), 751-5780
Anderson St. Chapel — 2335 Anderson St., Corner of Jackson Blvd., 751-7032
Education Center — 4581 Scales Ave.
Magruder Chapel — 4360 Magruder Ave., 751-3883
120th Rec. Bn. Chapel — 1895 Washington St., 751-5086
Memorial Chapel — 4470 Jackson Blvd., 751-7324

FIRST RESPONDER



The following are selected incidents compiled from reports, complaints or information received from the Fort Jackson Provost Marshal Office.

The incidents reflected are not an adjudication attesting to the guilt or innocence of any person and are provided for informational and reflective purposes only.

Lt. Col. Greg Vibber

Director, Emergency Services/Provost Marshal

Sgt. Maj. Patrick O'Connor

Provost Sergeant Major

Billy Forrester

Fire Chief

Cases of the Week

A Soldier was arrested in connection with the theft of \$570 worth of games and DVDs from the main exchange. The Soldier turned over the merchandise when confronted by security officers, according to MPs. The suspect was taken to PMO, processed and released to the unit.

A Soldier contacted PMO to report the theft of a debit card and money. A lockdown

and a search of the area was conducted. The card was found in the possession of another Soldier, who claimed it was given to her by someone else, MPs said. The total loss to the Soldier reporting the incident was \$300.

A fistfight between two Soldiers was reported to authorities. According to MPs, the Soldiers got in an argument, which turned physical when both participants struck each other in the face. One of the Soldiers was transported off post for treatment of a contusion. They were both processed and released to their units.

Tip of the Week

In South Carolina, it is mandatory for drivers to carry their driver's license, proof of insurance and registration at all times. This also applies to people from out of state. For access to Fort Jackson, all three documents are required.

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SPORTS

Drill sergeant makes All-Army Bowling team



Photo Courtesy of Sgt. 1st Class William Palumbo

Sgt. 1st Class William Palumbo, Company A, 3rd Battalion, 13th Infantry Regiment drill sergeant, goes for a strike during the 2008 Armed Forces Bowling Championships this month in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Heath Hamacher Leader Staff

For All-Army bowler Sgt. 1st Class William Palumbo, the first time was the charm.

Despite bowling for more than 30 years, Palumbo, a drill sergeant with Company A, 3rd Battalion, 13th Infantry Regiment, had never applied for All-Army consideration. He believed his soldierly duties would prevent him from attending, even if selected.

"I've been in Iraq; I've basically been overseas all but like four years of my military career," said Palumbo, a 16-year Army veteran. "And I've been a drill sergeant here for two years."

After getting the green light from his commander this year, Palumbo decided to apply for the 2008 Armed Forces Bowling Championships, hosted by U.S. Army Garrison, Hawaii.

His 215 average in the competitive Century Lanes bowling league was good enough to earn him a shot at making the All-Army team.

For the All-Army trials, Palumbo flew to Schofield Barracks in sunny Hawaii where he spent three days bowling six

games per day against 12 of the Army's best bowlers, eventually placing second overall and qualifying for the eight-person team. Another four days were spent competing in the All-Armed Forces Tournament against bowlers from the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marines.

Palumbo did not fare as well as he would have liked — placing 13th out of 16, but he enjoyed his time in the Aloha state. All told, he spent 10 days bowling, hiking, shopping and beach bumming in the near-perfect 80-degree weather.

"It is hard to believe that there are so many great bowlers in the Armed Forces," he said. "The weather was great and I got to do a little sightseeing while I was there. I had never been to Hawaii before."

Palumbo said he would love a return trip in 2009, but circumstances may make that impossible.

He is scheduled to make a permanent change of station move to Fort Hood, Texas, to a unit which may be deployed.

"I'll just have to talk to my commander when I get there," he said. "We'll just have to wait and see."

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Health Rocks! introduces healthy lifestyle choices to kids

Heath Hamacher Leader Staff

The MG Robert B. Solomon Center was the place to be Friday night for fitness buffs of all ages.

Well, for at least those of school age.

Forty-nine Fort Jackson children from 4 to 17 years old participated in the Child and Youth Services' Health Rocks! program. Geared toward fun, the program is also intended to help raise the awareness of parents and children about living a healthier lifestyle.

"Each month we're doing some type of health and fitness program," said Craig Plowman, Youth Sports director. "This is one area where we're trying to get out of our box of just team and individual sports. We're getting more into nutrition, health and physical fitness with fun."

Health Rocks! featured several "mini-classes" of martial arts, Yoga and cardio-box which lasted 20 minutes each.

Other activities included basketball, jump rope, hula hoop and Dance Dance Revolution, a video game that requires players to dance on a dance pad.

DDR, as it is commonly known, is used in some schools as a physical fitness tool.

Sgt. Nickquawana Stephenson signed up her daughters, 9-year-old Malaika and 7-year-old Teakona.

"Both my daughters like talking about health," Stephenson said. "Malaika's on the basketball team and plays soccer, so any time she gets to work out, she's happy."

Stephenson said Malaika was a little hesitant initially, but she was all smiles once the fitness festivities began.

"I liked the Yoga because you get to do a lot of exercises and you get to relax," Malaika said. "I liked the martial arts, too."

Plowman considered the event a success and said he plans on putting on similar events monthly, starting with "Hoopla," scheduled for Feb. 29 at the Youth Center.

"Hoopla" is going to be like hula hoop and basketball skills combined," he said.

For more information on the Youth Center or upcoming events, call 751-5040/3773.

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Pam Greene, fitness programer, leads a cardio class Friday as part of the Health Rocks! program at the Youth Services Center. The class consisted of jumping rope, jogging and shadow boxing, among other exercises.



Photos by Heath Hamacher

Zoe Day, 9, performs Yoga movements Friday during the Health Rocks! program at the Youth Services Center.

SPORTS

Maintainers nip 175th, remain undefeated

Heath Hamacher
Leader Staff

Allen Dade caught fire in the second half and Randy Peterson knocked down a clutch free throw with 2.7 seconds remaining to lead the 187th Ordnance Battalion to a 57-56 win over the scrappy 175th Maintenance Company Monday at Coleman Gym.

Dade led the 187th (3-0) in scoring with 19 points. At one point, he scored 13 straight, including three 3-pointers from the left corner.

This was a game of runs, featuring 11 lead changes and seven ties. Aaki Hayes, coach of the 187th Maintainers, called the 175th Reservists a “good team,” which employed a tricky strategy.

“Honestly, I think they changed the defense up on us a lot of times,” he said. “That got our offense out of sync and they got a lot of fast break points — it really confused us for a minute.”

With the 175th (0-3) trailing 50-49 late in the game, Samuel Singleton capped an 11-0 run, draining one from behind the arc and giving the 175th a 2-point lead. This prompted the Maintainers — which had led by as many as 10 — to call a timeout and regroup.

Down the stretch, free throws proved to be the deciding factor, with 175th going 2-for-2 and the Maintainers draining 3-of-5, including the game winner by Peterson. After his first shot rimmed out, Peterson converted on his second attempt with 2.7 seconds left. Dade picked off the ensuing inbounds pass to seal the victory.

“I just kept telling them to keep their composure,” Hayes said. “We were playing

a pretty good game and I was just hoping (175th) would lose their composure. I told my guys to play their game and go with their instincts.”

The 187th jumped out to an early 11-2 lead, but the play of Anthony Moore — who finished the game with 26 points — kept the Reservists in the game. On defense, he was quick.

Offensively, he couldn’t be stopped in the paint. From long range, he hit consecutive 3-pointers at one point.

“We just tried to keep a fresh guy on him because he was really hurting us,” Hayes said.

Moore took advantage of a fast-break opportunity as the first half wound down, tying the game at 28 with a monstrous dunk as the clock expired.

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The 175th Maintenance Company's Anthony Moore goes airborne for two of his 26 points Monday at Coleman Gym.



Photo by Heath Hamacher

The 175th Maintenance Company's Anthony Moore attempts to drive past Aller Dade of the 187th Ordnance Battalion Monday in basketball action at Coleman Gym. Despite 26 points from Moore, his team fell, 57-56.

Post intramural basketball standings*

Monday/Wednesday League

187th	3-0
SCARNG	3-1
3-13	3-1
2-39	2-0
245th	2-2
MEDDAC	1-3
175th	0-3
MPs	0-4

Tuesday/Thursday League

1-13	3-0
Niteflyte	3-0
120th	2-1
TFM	1-1
Post Laundry	1-1
VSB	1-2
742nd Maint.	1-2
2-13	0-2
SSI	0-3

* Standings as of Jan. 29.

Sports Briefs

Swim Meet

A swim meet will be held Feb. 21 at Knight Pool. Names and events are due by Feb. 14. For more information, call 751-3096.

Youth Spring Sports

Registrations are currently being accepted for youth soccer, track, double dutch and baseball seasons. All children must be registered with Child and Youth Services to register for sports.

To make a registration appointment, call 751-4865/4824. A current physical and proof of age are required and track participants must submit a copy of their birth certificate.

The seasons are: Soccer: February through May. There are two age brackets, 3-10 years old and 10-13 years old. The registration fee is \$30, but additional children from the same family cost \$27. The fee includes a jersey and trophy. Track: March through May.

Track is open to children 9-14 years old. The registration fee is \$40, but additional children from the same family cost \$36. The fee includes a jersey and trophy.

Double dutch: March through May. Registration is open

for children 6-18 years old. The registration fee is \$30, but additional children from the same family cost \$27. The fee includes a jersey and trophy.

Baseball: April through June. T-ball is open for 3-5 year olds; coach pitch is open for 6-8 years old; and Little League is open for 9 years old and up. The fee is \$40, but additional children from the same family cost \$36. The fee includes a jersey, hat and trophy.

Spring Sports Spectacular

Free skill sessions open to all Fort Jackson community youth coming up are: soccer, 5-7 p.m., Feb. 7 at the Youth Sports Complex; double dutch, 5-7 p.m., Feb. 14 at the Youth Center gym; track, 5-7 p.m., Feb. 28 at the Youth Sports Complex; and baseball, 5-7 p.m., April 3 at the Youth Sports Complex.

Volunteer Coaches Sought

Volunteer coaches for youth sports are needed. Experience is desired, but not mandatory. For information on the “coaches discount” or to volunteer, call 751-5040.

C L A S S I F I E D S

100 Announcements

For Rent: Beautiful covered space for motor home, camping trailer or 12' wide mobile home. It has a 12x50 covered porch. Very private w/lots of shade trees. Not a mobile home park. 15 minutes from Fort Jackson. Call 735-0657.

For Rent: Horse Barn on one shaded acre in Gaston, 10 min. off Hwy. I-20, exit 129. Connected to miles of sandy rural roads and beautiful lake. \$75/month. 803-261-5603.

Please donate a reliable, dependable car or truck to a family in need. With your help it will enable them to get to work and to hospital visits for treatment in Columbia area. Thank you in advance! Mrs. Graham, 803-438-5913.

The FRA (Fleet Reserve Association) Branch and Unit 202 meets monthly at the Naval Reserve Center, 2620 Lee Rd., Fort Jackson at 1:00 p.m. the 3rd Tuesday of each month. Ladies Auxiliary meets at same time. Ron or Fran, 803-482-4456.

VFW Post 641, 534 S. Beltline Blvd., Columbia is sponsoring our Friendship/Karaoke Dinner February 23. Dinner at 7 p.m., Karaoke will be R&L group and starts at 8 p.m. All veterans, families and friends always welcome. 803-782-5943.

VFW Post 641, 534 S. Beltline Blvd., Columbia will be sponsoring a Valentine Dinner dance February 14. Ted's Famous Prime Rib, music from the Jeff Crider Famous Band. Dinner at 7p.m. Band starts at 8p.m. Veterans, families, friends welcome. 803-782-5943.

VFW Post 641, 534 S. Beltline Blvd., Columbia is sponsoring R&L Karaoke February 9 at 8:00p.m. Please come and enjoy the music or get in on the fun, singing and dancing. All veterans, families and friends welcome. 803-782-5943.

101 Child Care

Head of the Class Academy has full-time openings for children 6 wks.-5 yrs. Come join us and have fun while you learn. Developmental age appropriate activities and nutritious meals. We provide an affordable, safe, nurturing, and caring environment. Call 783-8929.

108 Roommate Wanted

3BR, 2BA Mobile Home in Blythewood w/huge yard. Newly renovated, all new carpets/floors, fresh paint, new light and window fixtures. Easy access to I-77, about 20 min. from Fort Jackson. \$200/\$150 per month plus partial utilities. Military friendly lease. 803-727-0607.

108 Roommate Wanted

Female wants roommate in apartment home. Kitchen with microwave and fridge, fully furnished Living Room, laundry facilities and full utilities available. Non-smoking household. \$425 per month. Close to I-77 and 10 minutes from Ft. Jackson. For more information call 253-592-4686.

Furnished Room for rent in New Home. No drugs or smoker. \$500/month, \$300 security deposit. Easy access to I-77. About 20 minutes to Ft. Jackson. Military friendly. Utilities and Direct TV are included. Call 803-361-8623.

Room to Rent near VA Hospital. Nice quiet neighborhood. Furnished, Kitchen privileges. All Utilities paid. Private Bath. Fenced yard. Pets OK. \$175 per week. Please call 803-348-8886 for details.

Senior Citizen has Room for rent in the Northeast Area. \$400/month plus share utilities. Kitchen and laundry available to share. Telephone and cable provided. For more information call 803-708-2171.

Single, clean, new, spacious, secure room. Located in Northeast Columbia. Renter will have their own bathroom, walk-in closet, free cable and internet. \$450 per month. Renter will pay half of utilities. Call 803-466-4548.

200 Help Wanted

Chick-fil-A

Work part-time while your kids are in school. We offer a pleasant working environment, competitive pay and flexible hours. Part time or full time possible. Day or night. Applications accepted daily, 9-11, 3-6. Chick-fil-A, 5440 Forest Drive, Columbia.

Chilton Marketing Merchandiser wanted for MCSS Store ONLY 3-5 hrs. per week or more. \$8-\$10/hr. Contact Bob Mahin, 800-262-2625 or cmcmahin@aol.com

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10x10 Dog Kennel with top frame and 8x10 extension with top to make 2 kennels and dog house, \$200. 803-873-6074/6076.

Chocolate Lab needs Loving Home. Free 12 year old full-blooded Chocolate Lab is energetic, likes children and is healthy, lovable and sweet. Has been an outdoor dog for years. Call 803-767-3488 if interested in adopting him.

500 Pets

For sale: Adorable AKC Rottweiler pups, males and females, born 03 December 07, wormed and first shots. Please call (803) 308-3352.

French Mastiff (Turner & Hooch), 1 yr. 8 months old. Beautiful deep red coat with a lot of wrinkles. Great family dog. Also can be used as a stud. FIC certified w/health records, shots up to date. \$1500 OBO. 803-873-6074/6076.

Huskie-Shepherd Puppies, blue eyes, beautiful markings. Looking for Good Homes. Asking \$50. Call Brigitte, 865-2698.

600 Appliances

Dryer for Immediate Sale-Orders to Korea! Whirlpool 6 cycle Infinite Temperature Dryer, Super Capacity. Clean older model, used rarely. Runs like new. Light tan color. Does not come with rear foil vent. \$200 OBO. Call Krista, 281-382-4095 or Richard, 281-253-6336.

FREE Washer and Dryer! Washer works, dryer does not. Must take both! Located in NE Columbia. Call James at (706) 829-3041.

Freezer, \$500, United Commercial Heavy Duty Upright, great condition. Call 736-2462.

Kenmore 19.2 cu.ft. Upright Freezer, Power miser. Rated as "Kenmore Premium Quality". Almond color, 4 shelves, 4 door shelves and storage basket. Excellent condition, ready to pick up, \$220. Call Norm, 776-3689, Columbia.

Kenmore almond color fridge, good condition, \$250 OBO. Call 803-419-3677

Kenmore white electric stove and dishwasher (like new) barely used. Good condition. If interested please call 803-454-5184.

601 Electronics

Dell Computer with Windows XP. Hewlett Packard Photosmart Printer and Speakers. Great for student's homework, \$200. 786-1004.

Disney Princess 13" TV and DVD Player, \$100 for both. VCR, \$25, Emerson VHS 4 Head Hi-Fi Stereo. VCR, \$25, Orion VHS Digital Auto Track. Fax/Copier, \$30. Panasonic plain paper, auto receive feature and side phone. Call 736-2462.

Magnavox Projection 46" TV, \$325. Contact 788-2349.

Panasonic Sony Video8 camera recorder/VCR combination. Mdl. CCD-FX410, 10X lens. Must see to appreciate excellent condition. \$125 OBO. Computer color monitor. 14" \$35 OBO. Multi Media Stereo Speaker set with woofer, \$10. Micro cassette recorder, \$7 OBO. 803-787-5385

601 Electronics

Pioneer AVH-P5700 in dash CD/DVD player, 6.5 inch monitor LCD touch screen, fully motorized. Selling for \$300. Purchased at Norton Stereo. Still under warranty. If interested please contact SSG Thompson or Chelsea Thompson at 803-665-9823.

602 Furniture

Armoire, \$300, dark oak with 4 large drawers, great condition. Call 736-2462

Bedroom Dresser and TV Armoire for sale, \$100. Call Brigitte, 865-2698.

BEDROOM SET: A Beautiful cherry sleigh bed, dresser, mirror, night stand, brand new, still in boxes, \$895. Interest Free Financing. Can Deliver. Call 803-319-8043

Brand New Mattress Sets: Still in plastic, Queen set, \$150. King set, \$325. Queen Pillow Top set, \$185. Can Deliver. 803-319-8043.

Brand New, mint condition Bassett Baby Bed with all accessories. Turns into a full bed. Will sacrifice for \$275. Mattress still in plastic. 803-269-8788.

Burgundy couch and 2 high back chairs, \$500. Hand carved German Bar with 2 stools, \$350. Call 803-408-0732 or 803-699-1382.

Dining room table with 5 chairs, \$125 OBO. Pool table, accessories included, \$325 OBO. Can email pictures. Contact 254-449-0882.

Executive Swivel Chair, black leather, perfect condition, cost \$350 new, asking \$150. Call 776-6992.

Queen Sleeper Sofa, new \$1200, selling for \$100. Good condition. Antique Singer Sewing Machine with original cabinet, \$50. 803-786-1004.

Sofa, black leather, full size, \$75. Book Cases, 2 pine, 8'x3'x12", \$10/each and 2 oak 6'x4'x12", \$20/each. Blinds by American Blinds, terra cotta woven, 70x58, brand new, \$100. 803-438-0553 or 803-629-6302.

Toddler Car Bed with mattress, \$50 OBO. Please call 803-479-4439.

White, gently used wooden crib with mattress, \$50 OBO. Call 419-0760.

603 Miscellaneous for Sale

2 ea. Comfort Glow Natural Gas Heaters, seldom used, manual included, \$50 each. Avalon XLS 03, fully loaded, navigation system, one owner, \$16,000. Roll top desk, \$90. Contact 803-750-7518, 609-2188 or 609-2302.

4 Enki rims, size 16-7 spoke polished aluminum, asking \$300. 4 new Kumbo tires (285-50-20), asking \$400. Call 803-917-3712 for more info.

90 ft. chain link fence with single gate, \$75. Baby crib with mattress, \$50. Call 782-6513.

603 Miscellaneous for Sale

ATV, 2000 Honda 400EX. Racing set of plastic and original plastic, nerf bars, aluminum exhaust, extra tires, hand guards, \$2800 OBO. Call Jason, 315-405-9530.

Baby items for sale: Evenflo Exersaucer, Safety First high chair, Stroller and carseat musical toys and many other baby toys. All in good condition. Please call for more information. Brandy, 463-0696.

Beige carpet, 15x20, with padding, less than 1 year old, \$200. Please call 803-546-6237.

Bike, 21 speed road bike made by Felt. Aluminum frame with Shimano shifters and brakes. Saddle and pedals not included. \$500 OBO. Call Watson, 803-477-2847.

Bowflex XLT, purchased in 2000, excellent condition, asking \$300. Purchased new machine-need to sell this one. Call 788-4529(H) or 803-237-1120(C).

Burial Plot and Vault at Greenlawn Memorial Park for sale. Call 803-647-7012.

Clock Radio, AM/FM/CD digital for under the cabinet, \$20. Child's Sand or Water box, turtle shaped with cover, \$10. Graco Stroller, 469 A4 series, \$15. AutoBike, 6 speed with no shifting, by Classic, \$75. 803-438-0553 or 803-629-6302.

Exercise Bike, Stamina 885, new, \$50. AB Lounger, new, half the price, \$50. Exercise chair for waist AB-Doer Pro Model, new, \$25. Massage Chair with remote by Homedics, excellent condition, \$100. 803-438-0553 or 803-629-6302.

For Sale: 4 chrome wheels with tires w/lugs ready to install. Tires 305/40/23. 8 months old. No scratches. Wheels are universal. They came off a Chevy Avalanche. Great gift to spark your truck to new level. \$2000 OBO. Marco, 803-873-6076

Generator, Coleman 5000 Max ER Plus, used once, \$400. Call 803-438-0553 or 803-629-6302.

Girl's Step 2 Play Vanity, \$30. Top lifts for storage. 2 side pockets, mirror and chair. 736-2462.

GW Warhammer: HUGE LOT for sale (600+ pieces). O&G, Chaos, Spacewolves & IG (GW carrying case INCLUDED!), \$500 OBO. Please email to Warhammerstyle@yahoo.com for complete list of miniatures or call (803)528-8095.

Kids Step 2 Play Desk, \$30. Top lifts for storage. Has pen holders, crayon cup holder, 2 side pockets, desk light and marker slots. Barbie Crown Activity Play Tent, \$40, great condition. Call 736-2462.

Ladies Designer Suits (New): Elegant Embellished and Knit Church Suits. Hats and Purses available. Suit sizes 4-34. Donna Vinci, Lisa Rene and others. \$50-\$80 each. Call 803-361-9246.

603 Miscellaneous for Sale

Men's Lauer Leather Jacket, chocolate brown, size 48. Made in the USA, like new, \$200. Call 803-425-9001.

Merits electric wheelchair, excellent condition, \$800 OBO. Shopsmith Mark V Home Workshop System with vacuum and accessories, \$1000 OBO. GE Water Cooler (hot and cold), excellent for shop, \$50. HDC Homier 5 speed drill press, \$50. 803-786-1004.

Motherhood Maternity Clothes, sizes M-XL, very good condition. Graco Infant 2 Youth Highchair w/double tray, 3 reclines, 6 heights, \$40. Baby girl clothes, sizes 0-12 months: Gymboree, Miniwear, Koala Baby, etc, \$5-\$10. Call 803-439-1349.

Nearly complete Genesis/Phil Collins collection, 22 CDs. Call for titles, \$200 OBO. Nakamichi RX202 Reverse cassette deck, \$45. Gold Gym XR5 weight bench, \$35. 4 person tent, \$40. Call 803-469-6927.

Queen mattress set, no frame, good condition, \$40. Call 803-477-2847.

Radio Shack USV Hub (4 ports), \$5. 2 Keyboards, \$8 each. 2 kerosene Heaters, one for \$45, one for \$15. Kitchen ceiling light (4-48" fluorescent bulbs). Wooden frame with plastic cover, \$30. 803-787-5385.

RIMS FOR SALE: Set of 17 inch Chrome Rims. 6 lugs, fits most Chevys. Came off a Chevy Tahoe. Good shape, like new, \$600. Please call home# 704-435-8284, leave message or cell# 704-466-8814.

Sears 12 gauge pump shotgun, \$100. 40 cal. Glock model 27 pistol, new, \$200. Daisy air pistol, new, \$25. Kohler 8 hp Tiller, new, \$2000, selling for \$300. 803-786-1004.

Solar Pool Cover, \$75, fits 20x40 inground pool. Can be cut down for smaller pool. Only used once. Call 736-2462.

Stock 2 speed power glide transmission. Running good when pulled out. \$200. Call 803-425-9001.

Twin boy's Clothing, 0-3 thru 2T-3T. Several winter and summer shirts, pants, shorts, outfits. Will sell for twins or individually. Prices \$1.00-\$4.00). Women's size 7-8 and 9-10 dress pants, \$4.00 each. Women's shirts, size med., \$2.00 ea. Call 254-449-0882.

VW rims and tires 195/60/14, mint condition. Make offer. 14" rims and tires 195/70/14. Make offer. 15" rims and tires 195/70/15, \$200 OBO. Recently purchased for \$313. 803-269-8788.

701 Duplex for Rent

One side of duplex for rent. 910 sq.ft., 2BR, 2BA, washer/dryer hookups and wood burning fireplace. Close to Fort and Columbia Mall off Decker Blvd. \$575/mo. plus \$575 deposit. Ap. fee and credit check fee apply. William, 788-2644, M-F, 9:30-6:00.

702 Houses for Rent

1014 Henry Curtis St., close to Fort Jackson and VA. 4BR, 2BA house with fenced back yard, FP, FR, W/D, carport. Available 2/15/08. Rent \$950 plus security deposit. Call 803-477-8752 or 803-865-6075, leave message.

2411 Rigby Drive in quiet Forest Acres, 3 miles from Fort Jackson: 2 Bedrooms, 1 Bath. \$890/month. Very cozy home with big backyard and patio. Won't last long. Available at end of January. Close to shopping and downtown! Call 803-767-3488.

3 Bedroom, 2 Bath home for rent. Northeast Columbia. \$950 monthly plus security deposit. Please call 513-1792.

3 Bedroom, 2 Bath Residence with 2 car garage. 1700 sq.ft., eat-in kitchen, LR, Den with fireplace and fenced backyard. Dogs allowed with deposit. \$950 per month, \$700 deposit. View this property at www.ahrn.com. Available Now. Call 912-368-1820 or 912-610-0765.

3-5 minutes from Gate 5: 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, LR/DR, garage. Stove and refrigerator, large fenced in back yard. No Pets. Security deposit required. \$750 per month. Call 695-3478.

3BR, 2BA in NE Columbia, Whitney Falls in The Summit. 2 car garage, refrigerator, washer/dryer. 1500 sq.ft. All Summit amenities. Minutes to Village at Sandhills, Richland 2 Schools. \$1100/month plus security deposit. Available January 15th. Call 803-234-4405.

420 Sheridan Dr. Beautiful 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath home in Northeast Columbia close to Fort Jackson. Living Room, Dining Room and eat-in kitchen. Rent is \$850 w/1 year lease. First and last months plus security deposit due at move-in. 803-600-0930.

Amazing Home, NE Columbia: 5BR, 2.5BA, huge lot. Office/playroom, oversized master bedroom, hardwood floors, granite countertops, beautiful kitchen. Most room feature walk-in closets. Huge backyard w/deck and play area. Available 2/1 (nego.) for rental or lease-option to buy. 419-4768.

Beautiful Home in Gated Community: 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, 2 car garage, fenced yard. Very convenient to Ft. Jackson and Shaw AFB. Credit Check Required. Call 803-528-3863.

Beautiful house in Northeast area approx. 15 minutes from Fort Jackson. 3 Bedrooms, 1.5 Baths, Family Room, Dining Room, kitchen, new appliances. W/D hookups. Fenced yard, corner lot. A lot of storage area. Must See. \$975/month plus security deposit. 736-6802.

702 Houses for Rent

Behind Lexington Medical Center: 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, \$800/month. Trash and yard service included. Patio with privacy fence. Fireplace. Clubhouse, swimming pool. Great school district and close access to interstates, shopping, USC. Call 798-7292.

For Rent: Single family home in Northeast Columbia near Fort Jackson. 2 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, 1122 sq.ft., range, refrigerator, washer/dryer included, dishwasher, fireplace, vaulted ceilings, fenced backyard with patio, central heat/air. \$800 down, \$800 per month. Call Patrick, 803-341-1625.

Ft. Jackson/VA area: Brick House, 3BR, 1 1/2BA, CH/AC, W/D connections, fenced yard, hardwood floors, ceiling fans, stove. \$750/mo. + 1 month security deposit. 112 Lambeth Dr. Call 803-315-5968.

House for Rent or Lease to Own: 106 Whitley Lane, Patriot Park, 3 miles from Fort Jackson. Built in 2005. 3BR, 2BA, some furniture included. \$800/month plus utilities. Call cell, 352-279-3705 for details. Credit check and references. Available Feb. 1st.

House for Rent/Own. Just about 5 minutes outside Leesburg Gate. 3 Bedrooms, 2 Full Baths. Fenced in back yard. Screened porch, fireplace. Estimated 1600 sq.ft. Pets allowed at owner's discretion. Please call cell, 210-473-2867.

Immaculate 3BR, 2BA House. 5 min. from Ft. Jackson's Gate 4. Richland II School District. Eat-in kitchen, central vac and garage. \$950/mo., \$950 deposit. Move in by 15 Feb. and get \$100 off 1st month's rent. Call 803-419-1545

Lake Carolina-Harborside: Community of the year-7th year in a row. Two brand new 3 Bedroom, 2 1/2 Bath Homes with Garages. All appliances included. 120 Ratchford Way, \$1575/mo. 305 Long Pointe Lane, \$1450/mo. Non-smokers, please. Call 1-803-699-3012.

NE Columbia, Winslow: 3BR, 2BA, CH/AC, W/D connections, fireplace, ceiling fans, stove, dishwasher. \$785/month + 1 month security deposit. 8 Newworth Ct. Call 803-315-5968.

NE Columbia: 3BR, 2.5BA, 2110 sq.ft., 2 car garage, cul-de-sac, 1 year old, fireplace, balcony, patio, loft. Schools are Rice Creek, Kelly Mill and Ridgeview. Rice Creek Farms off Lee Rd., 421 Buttonbush Ct. \$1250/month. Jenny, 513-4936 or Dan, 803-788-2800.

NE Columbia: Available 2/5/08, 1919sq.ft, 1 yr. old 3BR/2.5BA, Loft, single family home for Rent/Lease. Large Family room w/fireplace, dining area, MBR w/walk-in closet, huge backyard, 2 car garage, quiet neighborhood/near Fort, Richland II Schools. All appliances. \$1550. 803-361-8351, 803-873-9056.

702 Houses for Rent

NEW HOME FOR RENT, SE COLUMBIA, HONEY TREE: 4 Bedrooms, 2.5 Baths, Double Car Garage, \$1050 per month. Minutes from Ft. Jackson Gate 5 and Downtown. Call Jody Styron at (803) 360-1558. Realty & Marketing Services.

New, Upscale Town Home for rent in Northeast on a private street. Unique layout: 1400 sq.ft., 2 large Bedrooms, 2 1/2 Baths, walk-in closets, fenced-in patio/backyard. Motivated to Rent! \$825 per month. Call 803-917-5872.

Northeast: 4 Bedrooms, 2.5 Baths, 2 car garage, fenced yard, awesome deck. Great location with excellent schools. Pets allowed with deposit. Credit Check Required. Call 803-528-3863.

Private country setting: 5BR, 3BA, 3300 sq.ft., 5 acres cleared, high ceilings, hardwood floors, all appliances, large front porch w/ceiling fans, separate central heat/air, attic fan. 8 min. to Ft. Jackson, 1 mile from Elementary/Middle School. \$1200/month, deposit required. 803-432-4954

Quiet/safe country living, NE Columbia/Elgin area. 3BR/2BA home, newer subdivision w/fresh paint, carpet, wood floors. 20 minutes to Fort Jackson, 5 minutes to Village at Sandhills. No Pets. Non-smokers. All appliances. \$950/month, \$950/deposit. 1 yr. lease. Available 2/15/08. Ryan, 912-572-8623/803-438-8281.

SE, near Ft. Jackson: 4BR, 2BA, Brick. LR, Den w/fireplace, lg. eat-in kitchen, Master suite, rear patio, huge fenced yard, carport. Newly remodeled inside/out. All Hardwood & ceramic. Lovely home in safe neighborhood. \$950/month. Credit check required. Call 803-261-5603

Single Family Home for rent near Fort Jackson: 3 Bedrooms, 2 1/2 Bathrooms, 1614 sq. ft., built in 2006. \$1100/month. 1 car garage, range, refrigerator with ice maker, dishwasher, disposal, W/D connections, Central Heat/Air. Call 843-810-2164.

Spacious 3 Bedrooms, 2 full Baths, Fireplace, 2 car garage. Large front and back yard. Richland 1 School District. Located off Leesburg Rd. near Fort Jackson Gate 1. Security Deposit \$700. Monthly Rent \$700. Call 803-606-1904 if interested.

Sweet 2BR, 1 1/2BA. Gas FP, dishwasher, disposal, refrigerator. Washer/Dryer connections. Large Kitchen w/eat-in dining area. Covered porch on front and back, nice size yard. Fenced backyard. Pets welcome. Must See! \$750/month, \$750/deposit. 1 year lease. 429-8846 (cell), 438-5676 (home).

Townhouse for rent: 2 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 Baths. Available February. 10 minutes from Base by Hunt Club off Decker, \$725. 803-360-7839

703 Apartments for Rent

5516 Lakeshore Drive: 1 Bedroom Condominium available February, 2008. \$775. Security Deposit Same. Office, Kitchen, Living Room, Balcony. Water and sewer included. Approx. 5 minutes from Fort Jackson. Private Community. No smokers, pets or "waterbeds". Contact 803-331-2605 or ginagate@gmail.com

Condo for Rent: 2 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 Baths, up and down. Washer/Dryer Hookups, Pool. Point Arcadia on Decker Blvd. \$650 + water and sewer. 788-1914.

Lovely 1500 square foot Condo, three bedrooms, two baths, located on a Lower Richland horse farm. Convenient to Fort Jackson. Available January 15th. Rent is only \$700 per month. For more information call 776-2074.

Week of July 5-12, 2008. 1BR Condo, sleeps 6 (Ocean View) located at Ocean Villas, 7509 N. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC, within 15 minutes of all area attractions. Just pack your clothes and go! \$1000. Call 803-425-9001.

704 Mobile Homes for Rent

Ten minutes from Fort: Very clean fully furnished Mobile Home, suitable for one or two people. Will take five-six month lease for Military going to School. \$480 per month plus deposit. Utilities furnished. No Pets or smoking inside. Call 776-8817.

802 Resort for Sale

Timeshare in Orlando, FL for sale, 5 minutes from Magic Kingdom. 1 Lock-out unit (2 separate 1BR suites). Great unit w/on-site amenities, outdoor pool, exercise room, more. Week 40. Property ownership w/deed. Use yourself or rent one out. \$9500. 803-727-0607.

805 House for Sale

****Forest Lake/Forest Acres: Former residence of General Robert B. Solomon. Fully updated, 3200 sq.ft plus 300 sq.ft sunroom. Open floorplan, large lot. 5 minutes commute to Fort. \$339,900. Steve, 312-3062.

1228 Carter St., Columbia, SC: Forest Acres. 3BR, 1BA. Move in ready. \$69,900. Call Rachel, 240-8182. Carolina RE & Inv. Group, LLC.

2 years old, 2660 sq.ft., all brick front. 4BR, 2.5BA, Formal LR and DR, huge family room, large walk-in closets in Master Bedroom. Blinds, garage door opener, alarm system. Elementary/middle school access 2 blocks (Vineyard Crossing). Traci or Marco, 803-873-6074/6076.

805 House for Sale

2 Homes over 1600 sq.ft! SE Columbia has 3BR, 2 1/2BA and double garage with room over. Open Living/Dining, Fireplace. \$135K-close quickly! West Columbia has 3BR, 2BA, huge kitchen, community pool. E-Z access to interstate! Only \$130K. Can close quickly. Call Cynda now, 413-1790. ERA Wilder Realty. View at www.cyndahurley.com

4 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2000 SF, single story SE Home. 5 minutes to Post! 4 years old. VERY open floor plan. Fenced backyard, 2 car garage, Berber carpet, tiled baths, surround sound, quiet cul-de-sac. Lake view. Community Pool. \$159,900. 803-727-2218.

4 Bedroom, 3 1/2 Bath home with theater room, dining room and office space. Crickentree Subdivision. Please call 513-1792 for info.

4BR/2.5BA, 2000sq.ft, built in 2007: Garden tub in master bath, walk-in closets, office space, large garage. Unique home, 15 minutes from Post (I-77N to exit 22). 333 Stimson Lane, Columbia. Brookhaven Subdivision. Close to Richland 2 Schools. \$149,000. Chris, 803-233-6138.

5828 N. Trenholm Rd., \$259,000. 3BR, 2BA on .7 acre private lot in Forest Lake area. Hardwoods throughout including kitchen. Study w/built-in bookcases. Den w/FP, Formal LR & DR. Large Florida Room w/vaulted ceiling. Renovated in 2004. Wonderful Schools. 787-5679.

Alexander Pointe Must See!! House for sale. Great listing price. Only 5 minutes from Ft. Jackson. Home is 2 years young on a large lot in a cul-de-sac. Call 518-2645.

ARCADIA LAKES: 4BR, 3BA, Office/Nursery, both formals, family room w/Fireplace, kitchen w/island, hardwoods, detached 2 car garage, large deck, fenced yard, Richland 2 Schools. View on midlandshomeshow.com/bm6 Call Beth at 803-463-7734 for more information. Russell and Jeffcoat Realtors

Awesome 3BR, 2.5BA with FROG, all Brick Home in Ashley Place Subdivision, NE Columbia. 2480 sq.ft. Large MBR. Fenced, landscaped yard. Fireplace, new carpet, 3 walk-in closets. \$219,900. For more information see Propertyshow.com, Bev05 or call 803-754-8295.

Better than new, 2334 sq.ft., \$159,900. 4BR, 2.5BA with 2 Master Bedrooms, both formals, huge family room, plenty of closets, 2" blinds throughout. Garage door opener, alarm system. A Must See! Please call Hazel Brooks, 479-4235.

For Sale Near Sandhills, in Summit Area, 1900 sq.ft., 2 story home. 4 Bedrooms, 2.5 Baths with attached 2 car garage. Large fenced yard with Koi Pond. Many Perks. Asking \$147,000. Please call (803)603-9699/9701 for appointment/offer.

805 House for Sale

FSBO: 3BR w/large MBR, wainscoting throughout, 1BA, eat-in kitchen, custom cabinets, 2 ovens, lots counter space, LR, Laundry, remote ceiling fans, carport, 2 storage sheds, workshop, front porch, side deck, 2 yr old heat/air gas pack, landscaped acre. \$115,000. 803-353-0507

FSBO: 3BR, 2BA, 1375 sq.ft. in quiet Elgin cul-de-sac. Open floor plan, .7 acres, 2 car semi-detached garage, deck, big fenced back yard, fireplace. 15 min. from Gate 2. 10 min. from Sandhills. \$135K. Must See! Low taxes. Alex, (254)289-7061.

FSBO: Forest Lake/Forest Acres, Ranch style Brick Home, 2366sq.ft., 3BR/2BA, Formal LR & DR, Den w/fireplace, Office area w/adjacent sunroom. Hardwoods throughout, tiled bathrooms. Newly renovated windows, kitchen w/granite. Private fenced backyard. .66 acre. Close to Fort/Downtown. \$154,900. Chuck/Ruth, 803-787-5679.

Gorgeous Colorado Springs, CO home near Ft. Carson and Peterson AFB. 3BR, 3BA, 2082 sq.ft. \$195.5K. New paint, flooring and fixtures. Many upgrades! Call Randy, (719) 393-1400.

House 4 sale, Summit, 2025 sq.ft., 4BR, 2.5BA, eat-in kitchen, LR, DR, Family Rm., 2 car garage. Sprinkler system, fenced yard. District 2. \$146,500. To view call Ms. Cunningham, 351-3113.

Lake Carolina Community (Berkeley Sub.), less than 2 yrs. old in cul-de-sac. 4BR/3BA, 2864 sq.ft. Excellent schools, new YMCA 1 mile away. 10 min. from Sandhills. Beautiful, open kit/family rm., sunroom, fireplace, fenced/sodded backyard. Auto. sprinklers. \$242K (FSBO). Johnny, 803-518-4210.

NE Beauty: 2600+ sq.ft. home in Landsdowne Subdivision. Heritage floorplan. 4BR, 2 1/2 BA, formals, huge master, many upgrades. Move-in ready. For Sale \$195,500 or Lease \$1550/month. Call 736-6027.

NE Columbia, Briarwood Subdivision: \$179,500. 4BR, 2.5BA, 2 car Garage, 2 story home, approx. 2800 sq.ft. All appliances stay. Landscaped front and backyard, completely fenced. Storage/shop in back. Call 803-788-1550.

NE Columbia, Lansdowne, off Rhame Road. Wonderful family home w/spacious living. Cathedral ceilings in kitchen and great room. 3BR/2BA, large FROG upstairs, garage, fenced-in backyard w/nice deck. Includes play set for kids. Enjoy community pool, tennis, basketball and park. Close to Sandhills shopping. \$159,000. Terri Irvin, Coldwell Banker United, 803-600-3511.

NE, FSBO: 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, 1400 sq.ft., Custom painted, 1 1/2 yrs. old, Quiet neighborhood, Screened patio room, 2 car garage. All appliances, Many extras. Near Sandhills Mall, Community pool coming soon. Ready to move in. \$145,700. Call 803-699-4641.

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House for Sale

NE Columbia, Winchester Subdivision: Approx. 2400 sq.ft. 3BR/2.5BA, Large bonus room, dining room, family room, fenced-in backyard, hot tub, large back deck. 2 car Garage. Appliances/window dressings stay. Beautiful corner lot. Reduced to \$199,500. Assistance w/closing for military. Dave, 803-397-1700.

NEW HOME FOR SALE, SE COLUMBIA, HONEY TREE: 4 Bedrooms, 2.5 Baths, Double Car Garage, from \$99,999. Minutes from Fort Jackson Gate 5 and Downtown. Call Jody Styron at (803) 360-1558. Realty & Marketing Services.

Patio Home, \$102,900. Near Gate 5, built 18 months ago. Seller to help w/closing costs. Appliances included. Call Charles Still, Real Estate Partners, 803-233-7544.

REFLECTIONS in Southeast Columbia: Premier Brick Garden Home in Gated Community. 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths. Eat-in tiled kitchen. Lots of closets and storage space. Brick walled backyard with patio and porches. Double garage. A “Must See” at \$165,500. Call 803-783-6440.

Rent-to-Own in Highlands in NE Beautiful 4BR, 2.5BA w/over 2300 sq.ft. Great curb appeal. Open Floor plan, ready to move in. We can help with Financing. Call Now 803-467-8631 or 803-546-4026 or 800-741-8631, x1104 free recorded message.

SE, near Ft. Jackson: 4BR, 2BA, Brick. LR, Den w/fireplace, lg. eat-in kitchen, Master suite, rear patio, huge fenced yard, carport. Newly remodeled inside/out. All Hardwood & ceramic. Lovely home, safe neighborhood. Rent-to-own, \$1050/mo. Purchase \$109,000. Price cut \$6000!. 803-261-5603

VA Hospital/Leesburg Rd. Area: Nice 4BR, 2BA, Cathedral ceilings with rented rental apartment. Get \$400 cash back each month to help pay \$87,000 mortgage. No Money Down, Free Closing. Free Furniture and Appliances. Call 803-695-5376.

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Autos for Sale

'03 Mercury Sable, 40K, very good condition, new tires. \$7300. Call 803-736-2648.

1996 Lexus SC 300, 130,000 miles, black, Xnice, \$7500. Call Ron, 556-0633.

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Autos for Sale

1987 Olds Cutlass 2 door w/350 Rocket Motor. Straight body and int. \$1600 OBO. 1973 GMC Spirit (El-Camino), good body, fair int., 350 auto. Needs trans. and paint. \$1300 OBO. Call 803-425-9001. All calls returned.

1993 Toyota Camry, 70,000 miles on engine, \$2200. Call 803-408-0732 or 803-699-1382.

1996 Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo. New Transmission. Borla Stainless Steel Exhaust. K&N Cold Air Intake. Trailer Hitch. New Tires, full spare. Needs rear brakes and front sway bar link. Great to fix up or use for parts. \$2500. Jason, 315-402-9530.

1997 Black 4 door Honda Accord. No engine work needed. One owner. \$3000 OBO. Call 803-238-6416

1997 Porsche Boxster, garage kept, white with black top, 2.5L, 33K, 5 speed, sports package, 17" wheels, \$17,000. Call 803-361-0366.

1997 VW Jetta, Drives well. Transmission only 1 1/2 years old. 151,000 miles. Needs Heater Core replaced. Mechanic's Dream! Call Steve, 803-926-3574(H). Asking \$995.

1998 Chevy Conversion Van with Handicap Lift Loaded. \$7000 OBO. Call 776-4715.

2000 XJ8 British Green Jaguar, 61,000 miles, fully loaded, great condition, \$16,900 OBO. Contact Candy, 419-3677.

2001 Nissan Altima Limited Edition, 114,700 miles, gold/tan cloth interior, CD, New Bridgestone Potenza tires, all power, excellent condition, \$6500 OBO. Call 803-788-5936.

2001 Town & Country X, dark blue family minivan, 100K miles, power door, rear AC, stereo system, roof rack, clean, \$4600 OBO. Call 803-422-6568.

2002 Chevy Tahoe Z-71: Clean, excellent condition, well-maintained, synthetic oil always used. Shift on the fly 4x4, Onstar, leather interior, rear heat/air, tow package, after market exhaust system. 140,000 highway miles. Must Sell. \$14,500 OBO. Call 803-309-4179.

2002 Mercury Grand Marquis, 38K miles, excellent condition, for sale by original owner. Light blue exterior/interior. PS, PW, PL, auto., AC, AM/FM/cassette. Driven by non-smoker, garage kept since bought. \$13,500. Call Norm, 776-3689, Columbia.

2003 Mustang: Great condition, V6, silver, 35,000 miles. Book value \$11,350. Will sell for \$10,000 to buyer willing to let me drive her until the end of February. Call 790-1315 to leave message and make appointment to see.

2005 Volvo S60 R AWD, 4 door, sunroof/moonroof, 6 speed manual, Traction Control system, Active Chassis system, black sapphire metallic paint, Gobi beige soft leather power seats, rear window shade, 6 CD, surround sound. 18" Pegasus wheels. \$23,500. 803-719-2746 (eves).

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Autos for Sale

2007 Toyota Salara SE Convertible, taupe with tan convertible top, 5K. Professional one owner. Garage kept. Power everything, automatic, Bluetooth. Remainder of factory warranty. Non-smoker. Asking \$24,995. Call 781-3842 (H) or 467-6786. Serious inquiries only.

87 Chevy Blazer 4x4, commercial rebuilt 350 w/500 miles, new 750 Edlibrock carburetor w/high-rise manifold, Dual Flow Masters, new brakes, radiator, starter, water and power steering pumps, battery, alternator. New paint job. \$4700 OBO. Call (H) 788-2843 or (C) 405-314-3774.

90 NISSAN 300ZX, 5 speed coupe. T-Tops, black with black/gray interior, AC, custom exhaust. 184,000 miles. Great car. Asking \$6600 OBO. Call 803-730-6114

93 BMW 325 automatic, leather seats, sunroof, rims, \$3250. 91 Ford Explorer, good condition, low mileage, \$1650. 94 Dodge Ram 1500, good condition, \$2500. 99 Mazda 626, excellent condition, \$3000. 93 Honda Civic, very clean, good condition, \$3250. Call 360-7839.

'95 automatic Chevy Camaro Z28 Convertible! Vinyl tan top. Fresh new metallic hunter green paint. Racing tires. Custom sound system, just needs amp. Only 96K. Well taken care of and in great condition! \$6500. Call Steve, (816) 738-3828.

98 Saturn SL for sale: White, very good condition, 102,300 miles. \$1250 OBO. Please call (803) 528-8095 for details.

For Sale: Good condition 1994 Mustang GT 5.0 automatic, Yellow, Flow Master H-pipe, 373 gears and Sony single disc player. Interior in great condition. 140K. Runs Great. \$5000 OBO. Call 803-351-2702 for more information.

Must Sell: 2008 Toyota Corolla CE: 5 speed, AC, cruise, custom radio, electric mirrors. 38+ mpg. 7,000 miles. All South Credit Union wholesale value is \$14,696. Take it for \$14,100. Call Gary McGee, 803-917-4256.

SPECIAL EDITION Chrysler 300M, 2004, black, automatic, fully loaded, Navigation System, sunroof, leather, 120,000 miles, like new. Must See. \$10,500. Call 360-7839 or 414-1361.

Steel blue 2000 Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo, automatic, 2 wheel drive, one owner. Excellent maintenance, impeccable interior. 89K miles. \$6200 or best reasonable offer. 803-790-2776, 803-737-6191 or 803-261-8540.

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Autos for Sale

2001 Dodge Grand Caravan EX, 77,800 miles, 7 passenger, Quad Seats, Power driver's seat, sliding door, rear hatch, AC, rear AC, AM/FM/Stereo/CD Player, Video System w/wireless headphones and remote. Roof rack, excellent condition. \$7900 Call 920-1552, leave message.

901

Trucks for Sale

1998 Chevy S-10 Longbed, good condition, 129,000 miles. \$3000 OBO. Call Jeff @ 803-865-5199.

2001 Chevy Silverado LS Z71 Ext. Cab, 5.3L, V8 automatic, 4WD, approx. 89,000 miles. AM/FM Radio with CD Player, AC, spray on bedliner, tilt wheel, ABS, cruise control, running boards, Power Windows/locks/seats. On POV Lot on Post. \$12,000. Call 803-240-7040.

2006 Ford F150 2WD, 20 mpg., keyless entry, 11K miles, reg. cab, long bed. AM/FM/CD Player, tilt wheel, bedliner. Like new inside and out. \$13,950. 606-309-3290.

2007 Toyota Tacoma, Access Cab, SR5 Prerunner V6, Brand New. Only 1400 miles. Bed liner, towing package, power windows and doors. Must Sell. \$18,500. Call 803-807-3369.

95 Nissan Shortbed Pickup with bedliner and ladder rack. 5 spd stick, non-assist steering, ice cold AC, AM/FM Cassette. 30 mpg average. Low miles (78,800). Well taken care of. Deploying, must sell soon. \$3000 OBO. Call Watson, 803-477-2847.

96 Chevy Silverado Z71, auto., like new inside and out. \$6350. Call Ron, 556-0633.

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Boats/Equipment

Boat for Sale: 1999 Triton TR-17 Bass Boat, 115 hp Mercury O/B, matching trailer. 2 Live wells, trolling motor, fish finder, dual console. Excellent boat in very good condition. Already serviced in 2008 and water ready. \$5500. Call 803-351-1428.

903

Motorcycles/Mopeds

1992 Honda CBR 600 F2 Super Sport. New tires, sprockets, chain and fork seals. Runs Great. \$2900. Call Jason, 315-402-9530.

2000 Triumph Thunderbird 900cc, gold and green, very clean, excellent condition. New tires, chain, sprockets and more. Comes with windshield, sissy bar and saddle bag mounts. Bought new bike. Can email pictures. \$3700. Call 803-447-2571.

2002 Harley-Davidson XL 1200C. Impact (electric) blue, SE slip-ons, SE Dyno-Jet Kit, SE High-Flow (K&N) Air Filter Kit. 1620 miles. Original owner. Clear title. Better than new. \$8500 OBO. (803) 462-6130.

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Motorcycles/Mopeds

2003 Harley Davidson Custom Sportster 100th Anniversary Edition. Dynaflow jet kit, Screaming Eagle 2 exhaust system, Highlander seat w/quick detachable sissy bar. Like new, still under factory warranty. 6300 miles. H-D synthetic oil always used. Must Sell. \$7500 OBO. 803-309-4179.

Must Sell! 1996 Harley Davidson Electra Glide Classic (FLHTC). Installed new rings and top-end gaskets about 1K miles ago. Very dependable and looks great. Asking only \$9,975. Call Mike, 803-236-1878.

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